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IAF FREQUENCIES
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From : Air Ministry. Inspectorate for Telecommunications & Aircraft Safety.
 To : A.F.S.C., A.C., Rome.
 Date : 16th November, 1946.
 Ref. : ---

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This Inspectorate is therefore of the opinion that it is necessary to improve the service and -while improving the discipline of radiocommunications and selecting with care the W.F. stations according to new requirements ^{TAKEN} this opportunity of pointing out to the A.F.S.C. the necessity of increasing, even slightly, the number of frequencies allocated to this Air Ministry.

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 - b) Moreover it would be useful to supply continuous information to flying aircraft of the M.F. conditions at the Appennines passes between the Center and Northern Italy (Cisa, Giovi, Porretta and Piobbico). The collecting of information and the transmission of the M.F. reports could be done by the Bologna W.F. station. While there are no special difficulties as to the gathering of information, transmissions of same should be on a frequency very close to the 4781 kc/s. so that the wops would not have to go off his normal frequency.
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Awaiting the favour of a reply

for the Inspector - Col.

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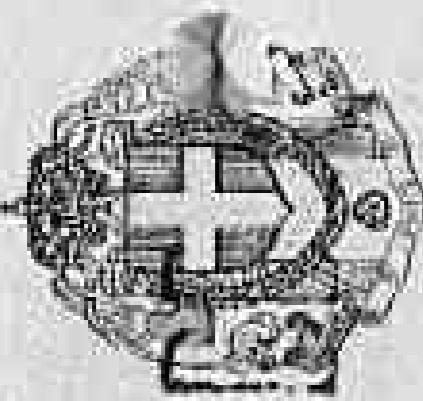
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REPUBBLICA ITALIANA

MINISTERO DELL'AVVOCATURA
COMITATO SUPERIORE AERONAUTICA

Ufficio U.S.A.

Protezione Radiocomunicazioni - Ser. 1°

Prot. N. 24/5881/3-A/R/381/PLS.

OSSERVATORIO SERVIZIO mobile e di radiodifusione ALL'A.M.

MIA' A.F.S.G./ A.C.

presso Ufficio Collegamento

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Rapporto / 31.12.1946

per concordanza : ALTO 3.L.A.M. 1° Rapporto = S D D E =

Sopra l'innamento del traffico aereo sull'Italia, con l'A apertura di nuove stazioni R.T. abbite a tale scopo, si nota ormai una situazione complessivamente difficile nel campo delle telecomunicazioni e dell'esistenza al volo, in quanto, i canali, a tale scopo impiegati, risultano spesso insufficienti e saturi di comunicazioni e i sistemi per l'esistenza al volo non soddisfano più integralmente le esistenti esigenze.

Quanto sopra è maggiormente sentito dato la stagione invernale e per l'apertura in corso, ed in parte già avvenuta, di un cospicuo numero di linee aeree civili.

Pertanto questo Ispettorato è del parere che sia necessario apportare miglioramenti al servizio in genere e, mentre sta adottando provvedimenti di proprio pertinenza, come una migliore disciplina delle radiocomunicazioni e una accurata selezione delle stazioni RT, in base alle nuove necessità d'impiego, d'altra parte si permette far presente a codeste A.C. l'opportunità di ampliare, almeno in prima parte, il numero delle frequenze attualmente in distribuzione all'A.M.

1°) SERVIZIO 1 (Radioogoniometri in M.T.) kc/s 333.=

Per questo servizio occorrerebbe assicurare una nuova frequenza (che potrebbe essere o kc/s 327 o 345 o altra simile) per permettere ai Centri di maggior traffico di assicurare l'esistenza all'avvicinamento e all'atterraggio contemporaneamente a due velivoli, di poco sfalsati tra loro.

Ref. N. 4/5881/3-2, Regist. 3181 Bl.

OBBEGATTO Servizio mobile e di radiodifusione, A.M.

per conoscenze : ALLO 3.2.4.M. lo Rapporto = S E D E =

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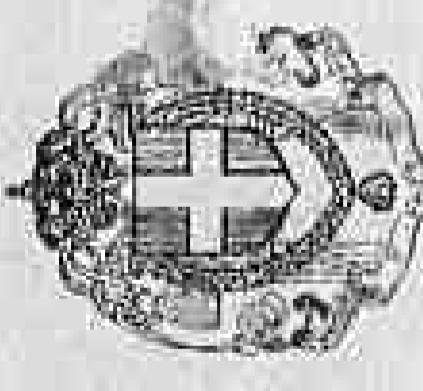
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2.b) SERVIZIO 3 (Collegamento aereo-terra in A.F.) kc/s 4761 =

a) Questo canale, sul quale trasmettono sin i velivoli spesso in numero rilevante, che le stazioni di terra, risultano particolarmente esposte di comunicazioni. D'altra parte ciò è anche imputabile alla specie di frequenze dell'alta frequenza, per cui può

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COMITATO SUPERIORE AVIATORIAZIONE

Reposto al P.R. - Ad
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verificarsi che un corrispondente vicino veage seguito con difficoltà, mentre uno lontano disturbi involontariamente delle comunicazioni in corso.

Sarebbe quindi perere dello scrivente di differenziare di pochi kc/s i trasmessitori di bordo da quelli di terra, e per far ciò, si potrebbe lasciare il trasmettore di bordo sulla frequenza di 4781 kc/s, la quale molti già quenzeti, e passare quello di terra su una nuova frequenza, molto vicina: per esempio 4770 oppure 4790 kc/s.

b) Inoltre sarebbe desiderabile far conoscere costantemente agli avvigionati le condizioni meteorologiche dei paesi Appenninici tra il Centro e Nord Italia. (Giese, Giovi, Forrette e Piobisco.)

Le raccolte delle notizie ed il successivo periodico lancio potrebbe essere effettuato dalla stazione RT di Bologna; e mentre per la ~~RT~~ non è necessario adottare apprezzabili cambiamenti, per il lancio invece, sarebbe consigliabile l'eseguzione di una frequenza molto prossima al campo di ~~176~~ 176 kc/s per far sì che il recondito di bordo non debba allontanarsi molto dalla normale sintesi.=

3°) SERVIZIO 6 = (Radiofono d'avvicinamento.)

Come è noto a codeste A.C., per il suddetto servizio sono attualmente eseguite soltanto due frequenze = 320 e 421 kc/s. Quindi può avvenire (come nel caso di Roma) che in una certa zona, comprendente vari reporti multi di radiofono d'avvicinamento e tra loro distanti solo pochi chilometri, si notino degli errori nell' determinazione dei livellamenti di due radiofoni, emittenti sulla stessa frequenza.

Inoltre è stato richiesto dall'Ufficio per il controllo del trafficoereo nella Zona di Roma, e ciò per agevolare le

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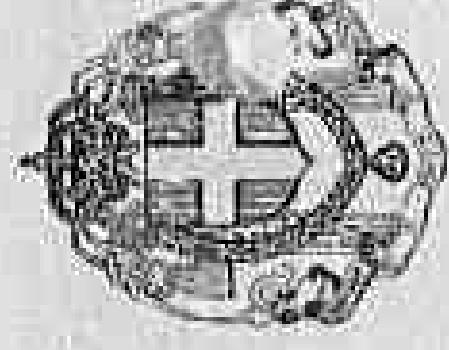
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Inoltre è stato richiesto dall'ufficio per il controllo del traffico aereo nelle zone di Roma, e ciò per agevolare le manovre dei velivoli italiani in volo "IFR" e che debbano evitare nelle zone stesse, nonché per non disturbare nel coattivando il movimento degli altri velivoli, l'apertura di un radioffero di piccole potenze nella vicinanza di Pratica di Mare, tra Ostia e Anzio.

Pertanto per poter far ciò è indispensabile l'aggiornazione



Ministero dell'Aeronautica
COMITATO SUPERIORE AERONAUTICO

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Al

Ind. N. Soggetto

Risposta all'Ind. N. del

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di una terza frequenza che potrebbe essere scelta nelle
zone dei 421 kc/s, e con la quale assicurare l'efficienza
del servizio.

Si rimane in attesa di conoscere quanto verrà disposto in merito
da ccdestro A.G.C.

per l'ISPETTORE t.s.
(Col. D. LIBRI)

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From : INSPECTORATE OF COMMUNICATIONS AND FLYING CONTROL
RADIO ELECTRIC DIVISION
SECTION I

To : AEROPOL BARI
for information:
A.F.S.C. A.C. ROME

Date : 10th December 1946

TELEGRAM 416077/34/3992 Coll. IT IS NOTIFIED THAT THE BARI RADIO BEACON HANDED OVER BY THE ALLIES WILL FUNCTION ON A FREQUENCY OF 427 Kcs. (427) WITH A CALL SIGN IKU (IKU) THROUGHOUT THE 24 HOURS AND WITH A POWER OF 300 WATT// CONTROL TOWER, SAME AIRPORT WILL HAVE TO FUNCTION ON FREQUENCY OF 116,1 AND 114,84 M.C.S./ REQUEST NOTIFY ORIGINATOR OF DATE SERVICES ARE READY TO OPERATE, SO AS TO DECIDE INAUGURATION DATE OF SERVICE//

LIT. COL. GIANSANTI

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MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA

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TELEGRAMMA MINISTERO DELLA DIFESA AUTONOMA ISPEZIONATO DELLE TELECOMUNICAZIONI					
<p>Spedito il 1^{re} aprile 1940 all'Ufficio di Divisione Radioteletria, Segnale per circuito N.</p>					
QUALIFICA	DESTINAZIONE	PROVENIENZA	NUMERO	PAROLE	Data di presentazione*
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From : Ministro Aeronautica (Telecommunication Section)
 To : Air Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission Rome
 Date : 3rd September 1946
 Ref : 415150/3-2/3110 Coll

WINTER FREQUENCY FOR THE RESCUE SERVICE

Following the request by the Rescue Service we kindly ask the Sub-Commission to consider assigning a frequency for the R.T. liaison service during the winter period, for the Rescue Service.

The above is requested because the frequencies of 5622,5 Kc/s and 3805 Kc/s, did not give, good results during the various tests carried out, only the frequency of 6500 Kc/s in this last period (July-August) gave good results, but this judgment cannot yet be considered definite.

Therefore, because the frequency of 6500 Kc/s needed to fulfil the necessities of the Italian Rescue Service, limited to a range of action not very wide, could give inconvenience during the winter and in some cases slow down the service, we propose the assignment of a frequency around the 4500 Kc/s, which could be tried out in the coming Autumn and Winter.

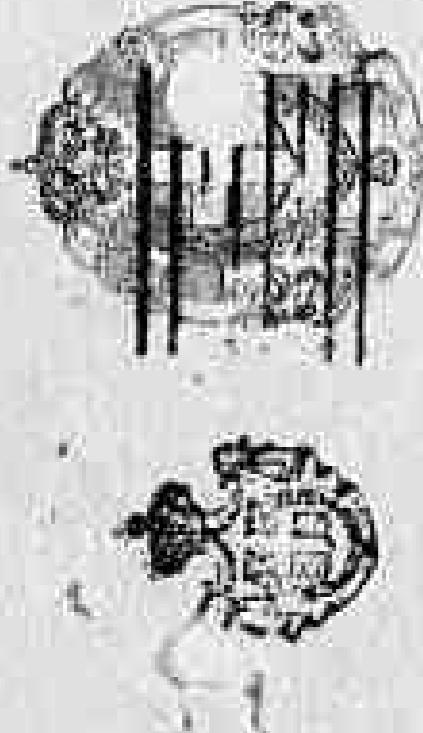
THE INSPECTOR OF TELECOMMUNICATION
 (Ten. Col. A. DE VINCENTI)

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Translated by Sgt. M. Albertini.

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MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA
AMMINISTRAZIONE DELLE TELECOMUNICAZIONI

E' DELL'ASSISTENZA DEL VOLO

Divisione Radioelettrica - Sez. 1'

Prot. N. 41/5150/3.5.1946 3110 0200

OCCETTO: Frequenza invernale per il Servizio del Soccorso.

A.L.I.A.B.S.C./ 3.C.
Tramite Ufficio Collegamenti
S E D E

Su richiesta del servizio del Soccorso si prega codesto S.C. voler considerare l'opportunità di assegnare fin da ora una frequenza che assicuri il collegamento R.T. durante il periodo invernale, per il servizio del Soccorso.-
Quanto sopra si richiede in considerazione che le Prequenze di 5622,5 Kc/s e 3805 Kc/s, non hanno dato, nelle varie prove effettuate, risultati soddisfacenti e solamente la frequenza di 6500 Kc/s in quest'ultimo periodo (Luglio-Agosto) ha dato un buon risultato, sebbene questo giudizio non possa ancora considerarsi definitivo.

Tenuto conto quindi, che la frequenza di 6500 Kc/s permette necessità del Servizio del Soccorso Italiano, che è limitato ad un raggio d'azione non rilevante, potrebbe, per il periodo invernale, dare degli inconvenienti ed in certi casi mettere in crisi il servizio stesso, si proporrebbe l'assegnazione di una frequenza intorno a 4500 Kc/s, che nel prossimo autunno ed inverno potrebbe così essere sperimentata.-

L'ISPEZIONE DEI SERVIZI
Ten. Col. R. A. DE VINCENZO

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Ministro dell'Aeronautica

Ind. N° 615/50/3. *Alcantara* 3110 Palermo

Trattite Ufficio Collegamenti
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From : Air Forces Sub Commission, . . . , Rome.

To : Italian Air Ministry
Directorate of Communications.

Date : 19 October 1946.

Ref : A-SC/AIR/5518/SIGS

AIR SEA RESCUE & ASKU FREQUENCY

Reference conversation S/Ldr. Ray - Lt/Col. DeVincenti
you are informed that the frequency of 6180 c/s has been allotted
to the I.A.M. for the use of A.S.R. Centers as a "flash" frequency.

2. This channel should not be abused by using it for other
traffic as good reception on this frequency is essential.

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for A.W. RAY S/Ldr.
Air Vice Marshal,
Director,
Air Forces Sub Commission.

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From:- Chief Signals Officer, A.H.Q. R.A.F. Italy.
To:- Air Force Sub Commission Rome (Attn S/Ldr Ray.).
Date:- 27th September 1946.
Ref:- AHQI/S.4560/1/Signals.

Allocation of High Frequency.

Herewith confirmation to telecon S/Ldr Ray and F/Lt Tocher of this Headquarters re allocation of frequency for Italian Air Force Aircraft Safety Centres.

2. Headquarters Medme confirm that 6180 Kc/s has now been cleared for this function specified to the C.S.O. this Headquarters.

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for Air Commodore,
Senior Air Staff Officer,
AIR HEADQUARTERS. R.A.F. ITALY.

C.A.V - ASR "Flash" frequency 93
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From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.G., Rome.
To : Italian Air Ministry
Directorate of Communications.
Date : 17th September 1946.
Ref : ARDC/ATR/2510/SIGS

PROBLEMS - I.A.F.

Reference is made to your 41527G/1-20/3222 COM dated 1st Sept.

2. It is regretted that a frequency cannot be authorized for the use of Italian A/C flying over foreign countries.

3. Presumably the frequency for this facility will be decided by the I.T.C.M.O. Conference now being held in London and which is attended by Col. deVincenti.

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for A. H. RAY R/Dar.
Air Vice Marshal,
Director,
Air Forces Sub Commission.

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From : Ministero Aeronautica (Telecommunication Inspectorate)
To : Air Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission ROME
Date : 13th, September 1946
Ref : 415278/3-20/3222 Coll.

REQUEST FOR A FREQUENCY FOR THE ASSISTANCE OF ITALIAN
A/C FLYING OVER FOREIGN COUNTRIES

We propose to the A.F.S.C. the assignment, to the writer of this letter, a frequency to be used only for the assistance to Italian A/C flying over foreign countries.

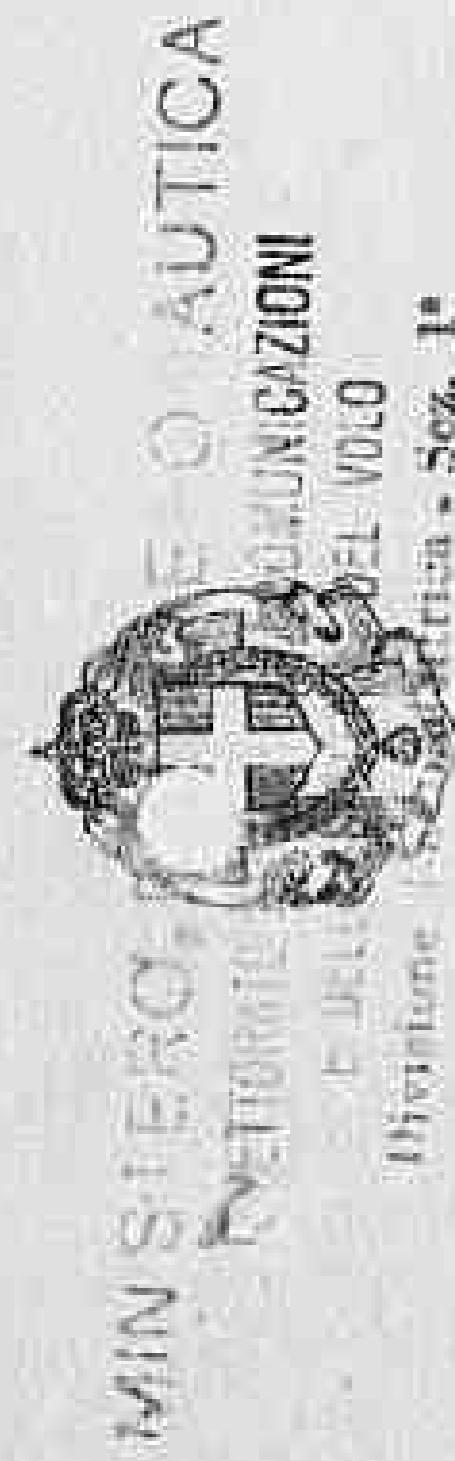
We kindly ask, you to authorise the use of the frequency of 7692 Kc/s, or another one near to this one.

Awaiting a favourable reply regarding the above mentioned, we point out that the above mentioned frequency will only be used from Rome.

THE INSPECTOR
(Col. A.A.r;n. D. LIBRI) *91*

Translated by Sgt. Albertini. M.

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MINISTERO DI AUTICA
DIREZIONE DELLA DIFESA

Divisione Segretariale del Volo

Divisione Segretariale - Soz. I^a

Ministero della Difesa

RETE COMUNICAZIONI AERONAUTICA

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Roma, 13 SET. 1948

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ALL'ASSOCIAZIONE

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Reparto di P.M.

O G G E T T O : Richiesta frequenza per l'assistenza ai velivoli
Italiani in missione all'estero.

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Si prospetta a codesta A.F.S.C. l'opportunità di assegnare allo scrivente, una frequenza da utilizzare soltanto per l'assistenza ai velivoli Italiani in missione all'estero.
Si prega, all'uopo, di autorizzare l'uso della frequenza di Zc/s 7652, o altra prossima a questa.

In attesa di un cortese sollecito riscontrato in merito, si fa presente che la predetta frequenza sarebbe utilizzata solo da Rome.

F. L'ISPIETORE t.a.
(Colonnello A.A.r.s.= D. LIBRI)

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[Signature]

LEADER PRINTERS MILANO ITALY

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From : Air Forces Sub-Commission, A.C. ROME.
To : AND REAM, R.A.F. ITALY.
Date : 21st August, 1946.
Ref. : AFSC/AIR/5518/5IGS.

LINATE AIRFIELD - CONTROL TOWER
FRQUENCIES

Reference is made to conversation w/Cdr. DOD - S/L. RAY at
A.F.S.C. on August, 20th, 1946.

2. It is requested that the following frequencies be set up on
the radio installations on the Control Tower Linate: -

(a) V.H.F.

6550 ± 10	Kc/s	-	117.9	Ma/s.
6450 ± 10	" "	-	116.1	" "
6380 ± 10	" "	-	114.84	" "

Channels to be duplicated as far as crystals will allow in-
cluding use of S.C.R. or TR 1143 if possible.

(b) H.F.

6440 Kc/s.

3. The necessary crystals are already held by the I.A.F. at Linate.

4. It is requested that this Sub-Commission be kept informed of the
arrangements you make for the completion of the installation.

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A. W. RAY, S/LR.,
FOR AIR VICE MARSHAL,
DIRECTOR,
A.F.S.C.

Copy to: - A.F.S.C. Detachment - MILAN.

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From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.

To : Italian Air Ministry
Directorate of Communications

Date : 28th May 1946.

Ref : AFSC/AIR/S518/SIGS

I.A.F. FREQUENCIES - M/F ALLOCATION.

Reference is made to your letter 410582/1-14/1369 Coll
dated 5th April 1946.

2. You are informed that the frequency 360 Kc/s has been
allocated to the Italian Air Ministry for D/F training in all
Italian Zones. Authority is therefore given for its use for
this facility.

A.W. Ray

S/Ldr.

for Air Vice Marshal,
Director,
Air Forces Sub Commission.

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From :- Air Headquarters, Royal Air Force, ITALY.

To :- Air Force Sub-Commission, Allied Commission, Rome.

Date :- 22nd May, 1946.

Ref :- AHQI/S.4360/Sigs.

MEDIUM FREQUENCY ALLOCATION - I.A.F.

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With reference to your letter AFSC/Air/S.518/Sigs,
dated 8th April 1946, the Combined Communications Board,
Middle East, have allocated the frequency 360 Kc/s to the
Italian Air Ministry. The frequency may be used for D/F
training in all Italian zones.

Mr. R. Kidman
6/6/46.

Air Vice Marshal,
Air Officer Commanding,
AIR HEADQUARTERS, R.A.F. ITALY.



36 A
(t)

From: The Air Ministry:
Department for Communications
Radio Section

CC

To : Airforces Subcommission
Allied Commission, Rome.

Date: May 7, 1946.

Ref.: 410723/1-14/ 1824 Coll..

Subject: Frequency R.A. 3780-2910 Kc/s.

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With reference to the letter 518 of April 26, we
are informing you that the frequency 3780 Kc/s is at
present still used for night service by the stations
RT of the R.A. (service 12/14)

Action is being taken for the changing of the trans-
mitters for the purpose of using the frequency 2910 Kc/s,
however, this department is not in a position to fix the
presumable date of the frequency's change.

In any case this command shall be notified of the
above mentioned change in advance..

Director of Communications
(Lt.Col. A.A.r.n.A.DeVincenti)
/s/ Giansanti.

Translation by
Stasha Furlan



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Roma, 7.5.

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dell'AERONAUTICA**
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SEZIONE RADIO
*Uff. Oper.
10/23/47-14*
Esercizio 1824 C.R. Repubblica d'Italia

OGGETTO Frequenza R.A. 3780-2910 Kc/s.=

M.L.A.P.S.C./A.C.

= ROMA =

Con riferimento al foglio 518 del 26 aprile, si comunica che da parte delle stazioni RT della R.A. (servizio 12/14) attualmente viene ancora adoperata per il traffico nelle ore notturne, la frequenza di 3780 Kc/s.

Sono in corso i lavori per la modifica dei trasmettitori allo scopo di poter usufruire della frequenza 2910 Kc/s., ma questa Direzione non è in grado di precisare la data presumibile del cambio delle frequenze.

In tutti i modi codesto Comando verrà preventivamente avvisato del suddetto cambio.

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IL DIRETTORE DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
P.Tes. Col. A.A.R.M.A. De Vincenti
Gianluca



From:- Air Headquarters, Royal Air Force, ITALY. *35A*

To:- Air Forces Sub-Commission, Allied Commission, Rome.

Date:- 12th April, 1946.

Ref:- AHQ I/S.4360/Signals.

ALLOCATION OF A.M. FREQUENCY TO THE I.A.F. *32A*

Reference your letter AFSC/AIR/S518/Signals. dated
8th April, 1946.

2. Headquarters, R.A.F. MEDME have been asked to obtain
a frequency allocation from the Combined Communications Board
Middle East. You will be advised.

Conrad W. S. Gray
for Air Vice Marshal,
Air Officer Commanding,
AIR HEADQUARTERS, R.A.F. ITALY.



Ans. 84

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From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C. Com.

To : Italian Air Ministry,
Communications Directorate.

Date : 26th April 1946.

Ref : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

BF C.S.O.
3/5/46

ITALIAN AIR FORCE FREQUENCIES - 3780/2910 Kc/S.

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It is desired to refer to your Headquarters' letter ref. 410179/1-11/887 Coll, dated 19th February 1946, which detailed the allocation of night frequencies in use on certain R.A. //T circuits. This Sub Commission's letter ref. AFSC/AIR/S.503/SIGS, dated 19th March 1946 also refers.

2. It is requested that this Sub Commission may be informed if the frequency 3780 Kc/S has now been replaced by 2910 Kc/S, or if not, when the change may be expected.

E.W.F.
for E.W. FREEMAN P/LT.
Air Vice Marshal,
Director,
Air Forces Sub Commission.

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From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.
To : Italian Air Ministry, Communications Directorate.
Date : 12th April 1946
Ref : P.G./L.M./S.51B/RIG

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MEDIUM WAVE FOR DIRECTION FINDING EXERCISES

Further to this Sub Commission's letter of even reference dated 29th March 1946 and your Headquarters letter ref. 41058/1-14/1369 Coll dated 5th April 1946 it is advised that the request for allocation of a medium frequency for training in direction finding procedure and operating has been referred to Air Headquarters Royal Air Force, Italy.

2. In the meantime it is suggested that this training could well be carried out using the training frequency for Air Sea rescue exercises, 385 Mc/s. It is not expected that such a practice would cause mutual interference to any great extent.

3. It should be observed that the radiated transmission is subject to the power limitation of 400 watts.

4. Air Headquarters Royal Air Force, Italy is requested to note that this Sub Commission's letter of even reference, dated 8th April 1946, refers.

S.W.F.
R.W. FREEMAN F/LT. 82
for Air Vice Marshal,
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission.

Copy to: Air Headquarters, Royal Air Force, Italy.

From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C. Rome.
To : Air Headquarters, Royal Air Force, Italy.
Date : 8th April 1946.
Ref : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

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B.F. 15/4

MEEDIUM FREQUENCY DIRECTION FINDING - TRAINING
FREQUENCY.

Italian Air Ministry has requested that a medium frequency may be allocated in all Italian Zones for the purpose of training air and ground signals personnel in D/F operating and procedure.

2. The scheme for training could be operated from any of the MF D/F stations guarding the international frequency 333 Kc/s without interference to that service, as duplicate equipments are installed in all stations. A separate frequency is desired to avoid the possibility of congestion on 333 Kc/s (and the alternative at Milan and Venice of 340 Kc/s).

3. The request is forwarded for your consideration.

E.W. Freeman
for E.W. FREEMAN F.I.F.
Air Vice Marshal,
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission
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FROM : AIR MINISTRY
Organization Office

TO : A.F.S.C. A.C.
(Through Liaison Office) ROME
STATO MAGGIORE

DATE : 5TH APRIL 1946

REF : 410582/1-14/1369 Coll

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activated
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REQUEST FOR MEDIUM WAVE

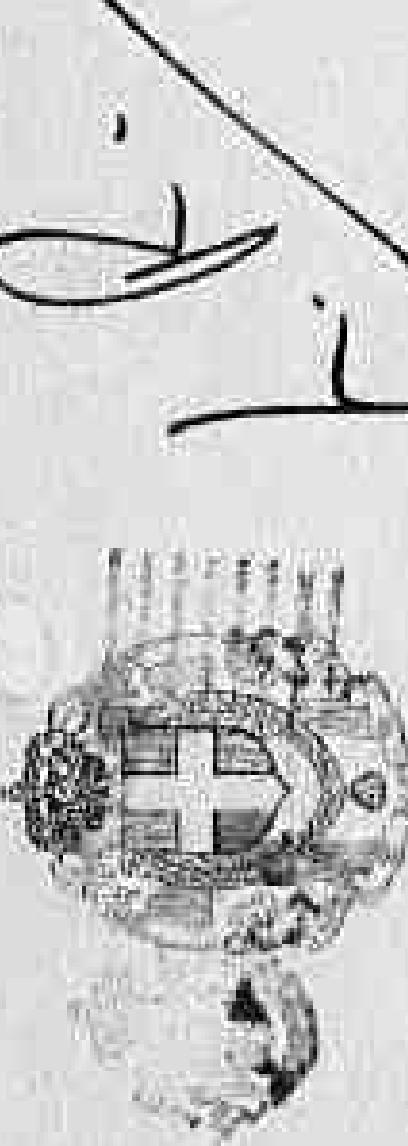
Reference is made to letter No. AFSC/AIR/S518/SIGS/tel. dated 29/3/1946.

Following the request submitted with letter No. 410490/tel. dated 21/3/1946, we communicate that the assignment of another medium frequency is required by this Office. The said frequency, which shall be different from 340 kilocycles will be used for the training of flying units for locating fields without hampering the traffic on the frequency of 340 kilocycles previously granted.

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THE DIRECTOR FOR COMMUNICATIONS
/s/ Lt. Col. DE VINCENTI

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Ministero dell'Aeronautica

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Ufficio di Comunicazioni

OGGETTO : Richiesta onda media.

*L' A.P.S.C. - A.C.
Tramite Uff. Collegamento
R.G. # 4*

*e.p.c. 24/3/1946 SANTO MAGGIORE R.A.
S.E.D.E.
Richiesta d/c N. 210582/1-14 Mygby/1369 off.*

A chiarimento di quanto richiesto con il foglio n° 410490/tel, del 21/3/1946, e con riferimento al foglio n° ABC/ALI/551/SIGC, del 29/3/1946, si comunica che occorrerebbe a questa Direzione l'assegnazione di un'altra frequenza media, differente da 440 Kc/s. per utilizzarla a scopo di allungamento dei reperti di volo sulla ricerca capo senza intralciare il traffico sulla frequenza già concessa **479**.
r.c/s.-

*III DIREZIONE DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
(Ten. Col. P.M. A. DE VINCENZO I.)*
h. Giuffrè

from : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.

To : Italian Air Ministry,
Communications Directorate.

Date : 29th March 1946.

Ref : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

BF 8/4

MEDIUM WAVE FOR DIRECTION FINDING EXERCISES

29 f)

Reference is made to your letter ref. 410490/TEL/1-14/
1154 Coll dated 21st March 1946, requesting the assignment of
a medium frequency for the purpose of training in direction
finding technique.

2. It is not clear whether or not it is desired to extend
the use of 340 Mc/s for this purpose, but if that is the intention
provisional sanction for its use can be given.

3. It should be observed that the watches on 333 Mc/s at the
MP D/F stations listed in the publication "Ordinamento & Regola-
mento del Servizio delle Comunicazioni ed Assistenza del Volo
della R.A." should be maintained as specified. This should not
present any difficulty as duplicate equipment is installed in
the MP D/F stations.

4. Before taking action with Air Headquarters Royal Air
Force I rely to authorise permission for this extension of 340
Mc/s it is desired that you will confirm that para 2 of your
letter mentions this frequency in this connection. Alternatively
is an altogether different medium frequency required?

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Att
E.W. FREEMAN R/LB.
Air Vice Marshal
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission

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FROM : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY, COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTORATE,
RADIO SECTION, ROME.
TO : AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION, U.S.A. ROME.
DATE : 21st March, 1946.
REF. : 4.10490/TEI/1-1b/115XCOLL.

REQUEST FOR MEDIUM WAVE FREQUENCY.

We would like to suggest that a medium wave frequency be assigned to this Directorate to train Flying Units on P.D.F. service without interfering with normal control traffic on 575 Kc/s.

Frequency 540 Kc/s is already being used by approach P.D.F. stations.

(Lt. Col. DE VINCENZO.)



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Copy to : - I.A.F. "STATO MAGGIORE".

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FROM : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY, COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTORATE,
ROME.

TO : AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION, A.C., ROME.

DATE : 23RD MARCH, 1946.

REF. : 421306/1216 COIL.

CRYSTALS FOR 114.84 Mc/s;17A

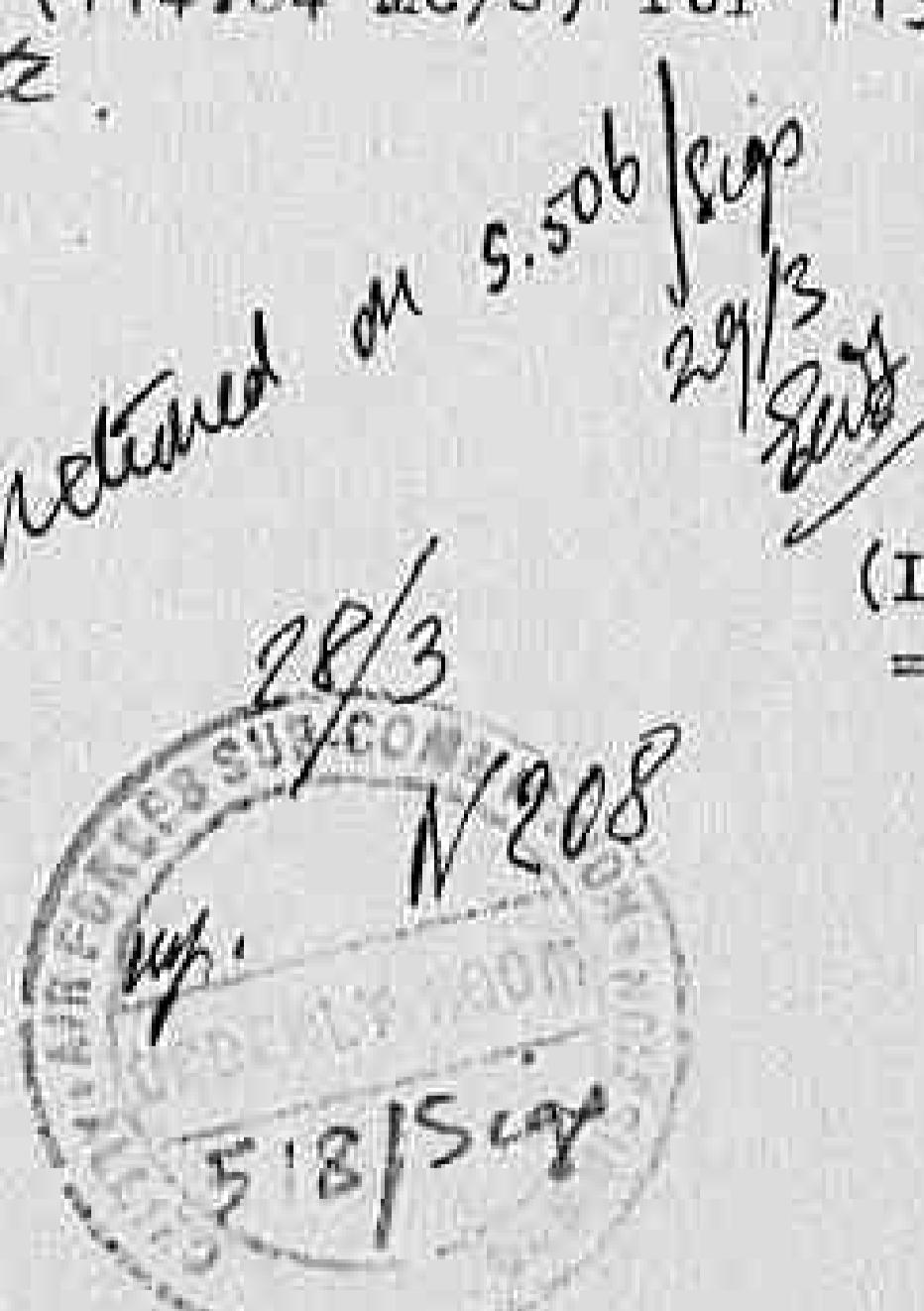
Reference your AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS. dated 14th February 1946, we would like to inform you that the crystals for 114.84 Mc/s, available at this Directorate, do not fit our sets.

We have in fact ascertained that these crystals are for sets 1133.

We would like to inform you that in order to meet our requirements No. 60 series of crystals (114.84 Mc/s) for V.H.F. and No. 14 series (114.84 Mc/s) for 1133 sets, must be allocated to this Directorate.

(LT. COL. DE VINCENTI)

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Ministero delle Comunicazioni

DIREZIONE COMUNICAZIONI

AIR FORCES
Sub Commission
a mezzo UFF/ collegamento

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Dimon
Rif. N. 101306 del 16 Feb
OGGETTO: Quarzi da 114,84 Mc/s.

Risposta al foglio del

Dir.

N.C.

Con riferimento al foglio AFSC/AIR/S518/SIGS
del 14/2/48 si comunica che i quarzi da 114,84
Mc/s, in possesso della scrivente, non si adat-
tano agli apparati in dotazione.

E' stato infatti riscontrato che i quarzi
stessi sono per apparati 1133.

Nel contempo si fa presente che per soddis-
fare la richiesta di Codesto Comando, occorrono
n° 60 serie di quarzi (114,84 Mc/s) per V.H.F.
e N° 14 serie (114,84 Mc/s) per apparati 1133.=

IL DIRETTORE DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
(Ten.Col.Air.n.A. DE VINCENTI)

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G. Galliardi

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From : AIR Forces Sub Commission, a.s.o., Rome.
 To : air forces Sub Commission Detachme. Milan.
 P. to : 26th March 1946.
 Ref. : AFSC/HM/S.518/STSS.

LIVORNO AIRFIELD - R/T AND V/F FREQUENCIES.

It is expected that the signals equipment of the Control Tower and the High Frequency Direction Finding Station will soon be serviceable and it is relevant to give advance information of the frequencies on which the equipments might be expected to operate.

2. The following frequencies are authorised for use by the

Towers:-
(1) Control Tower

H.F. R/T,	6440 Kc/s	maximum radiated power 10 watts
V.H.F. A/T,	6380x18 Kc/s, (14.34 Kc/s)	ds. do. 10 watts (1131 operated on half power, s.o.r. or T.R. 1143)
(41) HF D/F V/T,		4781 Kc/s } maximum radiated power 400 watts 5622.5 Kc/s }

3. It may be a future requirement to operate certain frequencies in addition to the above either for the benefit of allied aircraft, or for assistance in "pinging" aircraft in distress, in conjunction with other HF D/F stations. It is therefore advised that the apparatus should be calibrated for the following:-

(1) Control Tower V.H.F. R/T, 6350x18 Kc/s, (117.9 Mc/s), the common// airfield control frequency used by allied airfields in Italy.

V.H.F. V/T 6450x18 Kc/s, (116.1 Mc/s), the Emergency World Guard and distress frequency.

(11) HF D/F Station 4575 Kc/s
3105 Kc/s }

the day and night frequencies of the I.M. R/T distress firing service operated in the Mediterranean.

4. Action has been taken by the Sub Commission to supply crystals for the control of frequencies set per 2, (i) and 3, (1).

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3.8. PROVOST 3/ETC.
f/ Air Vice Marshal.

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V.H.F. R/T, 6380x18 Kc/s, (114.84 Kc/s) de. 10. 10 watts
(2 1131 operated on half power, S.C.R. or T.R. 1143)

(ii) HF D/F V/HF, 4767 Kc/s } Maximum radiated power 400 watts,
5622.9 Kc/s }

3. It may be a future requirement to operate certain frequencies in addition to the above either for the benefit of allied aircraft, or for assistance in "fixing" aircraft in distress, in conjunction with other HF D/F stations. It is therefore advised that the apparatus should be calibrated for the following:-

(i) Control Tower V.H.F. R/T, 6550x18 Kc/s, (117.9 Kc/s),
the common// airfield control frequency used by Allied airfields in Italy.

V.H.F. R/T 6450x18 Kc/s, (116.1 Kc/s),
the Emergency World Guard and
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the HF D/F distress fixing service
operated in the Mediterranean.

4. Action has been taken by this Sub Commission to supply crystals
for the control of frequencies at parts 2, (i) and 3, (i).

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for
D.M. PRESTAN R/T.
Air Vice Marshal,
Director,
Air Forces Sub Commission.

Copy for Information to: Technical Communications Directorate,

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FROM : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY, COMMUNICATIONS SECTION, ROME.
TO : AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION, A.C. ROME.
DATE : 21st MARCH 1946.
REF. : 1010/RM/115 Coll

CHANGE OF FREQUENCY ON SERVICE NO. 16

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Reference your ARSC/ADM/3.518/SIGS dated 16th March 1946, we would like to inform you that instructions have been issued bringing into effect the change of frequency on Service No. 16 to 5920/Kc/s. m from 5955/Kc/s. m from 00.00 hrs on 24th March 1946.

The frequency 5920/Kc/s will be considered closed as from the same date.

No. 26 A
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(U.S. Col. DE VINCENZO)

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Roma. 21. 3 1966

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Direzione Roma
Prot. N. 2410460 / 10 Marzo 1966

A.I.A.F.S.C. - A.C. TRAMITE
UPPLICIO COLLEGAMENTO
e per conosc. ALLO STATO MAGGIORE DELLA RA.
S E D E

Proposta foglio del
Dir. Istr. M.C.

OCCETTO Cambio frequenza Servizio 016.

Con riferimento al foglio N°AIFSC/Air/S.518/Sigs, del 14
corrente, si comunica di aver dato disposizioni perché a partire
dalle ore 00.00 del giorno 24 corrente il servizio N°16
venga svolto sulla frequenza di Kc/s. 5955.

Sotto la stessa data la frequenza di Kc/s. 5920 si intende
ritirata.

IL DIRETTORE DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
(Ten. Col. Fil. = A. DE VINCENTI)

De Vincenti 71

FROM : Air Forces Sub-Commission, A.C., Rome
 To : A.R.Q., R.A.F., Italy
 Date : 19th March 1946
 Ref. : APSC/AIR/S.51E/3108

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FREQUENCIES - ITALIAN AIR FORCE

Reference is made to your Headquarters' letter ANI/S.4/60/1/3108, dated 22nd January 1946 allocating certain frequencies for the Italian Air Force.

2. This Sub-Commission has pressed the Italian Air Ministry for confirmation that the frequencies are suitable in order that their authorisation could be made firm, but delay in taking them into use has been occasioned by the fact that some of the I.A.F. transmitters do not include the range 2700-2900 Kc/s. This was not notified to this Sub-Commission at the time the frequencies were requested.

3. In order to make use of eight frequencies wherever possible the allocation has been varied slightly and it is requested that your Headquarters will sanction these changes, in order that the position may be regularised. The frequencies authorised, and in use are tabulated below.

<u>Service</u>	<u>Authorized Frequency</u>	<u>Frequency in use</u>
RA 4	2910 Kc/s	2705 Kc/s
RA 8/10	2735 "	2700 "
RA 9/11	2700 "	3780 " <i>6 days</i>
RA 15	2920 "	2910 "

4. It will be observed that the frequency 3780 Kc/s. is still being used on service RA 9/11 but it is intended to substitute this by 2910 Kc/s as soon as transmitters have been modified to operate on this frequency. This Sub-Commission will not lose sight of the matter, and will inform you in due course when the change takes place.

Let's
 E.W. FREEMAN 2/Lt.
 for AIR VICE MARSHAL,
 Director,
 Air Forces Sub-Commission

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From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., R.C.A.F.
To : Italian Air Ministry,
Communications Directorate
Date : 14th March 1946.
Ref : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

CHANGE OF FREQUENCY ON SERVICE N° 16

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Reference is made to your letter ref. 410290/TEI/1-16 dated 9th March 1946 and this Sub Commission's letter of even reference dated 27th February 1946 on the above subject.

2. It is confirmed that the frequency 5955 Kc/s is allocated for the service specified.
3. The frequency 5920 Kc/s is withdrawn forthwith.

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EWF
E.W. FREEMAN P/LT.
for Air Vice Marshal
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission.

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From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.
To : Air Headquarters Royal Air Force, Italy.
Date : 14th March 1946.
Ref : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

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FREQUENCIES - ITALIAN AIR FORCE

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Reference is made to this Sub Commission's letter of even reference dated 14th February 1946, and your Headquarters signal S.262 of 21st February 1946 concerning the change of frequency requested for the Inter - C.A.V. circuit, Section RA 15.

2. It is advised that the frequency 5955 Kc/s has been proved by the Italian Air Force and is satisfactory.

3. It is therefore requested that this allocation be confirmed and the frequency 5920 Kc/s withdrawn.

E. W. Freeman

for E.W. FREEMAN F/LT.
Air Vice Marshal
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission. 68

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AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C., ROME.

AIR HEADQUARTERS, R.A.F., ITALY.

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MARCH 14TH.

UNCLASSIFIED// BRINDISI MF BEACON CALLSIGN HU POSITION
40/38/46 N 17/52/09E POWER 1000 WATTS CHANGES FREQUENCY
FROM 405 KC/S TO 403 (R) 403 KC/S 0001 HOURS MARCH 16TH//
REQUEST PROMULGATE

EWT

for
J.G. WHITE
AIR VICE MARSHAL
DIRECTOR
AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION

IMPORTANT

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FROM : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY, COMMUNICATIONS SECTION, ROME.
TO : AIR FORCES SUB.COMMISSION, A.C., ROME.
DATE : 9TH MARCH 1946.
REF. : 410290/TEL./1 - 16.

CHANGE OF FREQUENCY ON SERVICE NO. 16.

In reply to letter No. 518 dated 26th February 1946, we would like to inform you that the tests carried out on frequency 5955 Kc/s have given good result.

Will you kindly confirm the use of the above frequency for Service No. 16 instead of the old 5920 Kc/s.

(LT. COL. A. DE VINCENTI)



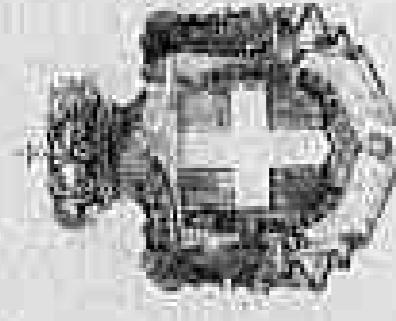
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Prot. N. 340290/TEL Allegato

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OGGETTO Cambio frequenze servizio 1946.

= R.O. M.A. =

*Risposta al richiedente
Dir. Servizi*

In risposta al foglio n° 98 datato 26/2/46, si comunica che le prove effettuate sulla frequenza di 1955 hanno dato esito positivo.

Si prega pertanto codesta A.P.S.U. voler confermare lo impegno della suddetta frequenza in luogo di quella di 1955 per l'espletamento del servizio n° 15.

IL DIRETTORE DEI COMUNICAZIONI
(Ten. Coll. P.L. A. DE VICENCI)

f. Giudicata

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From : Air Forces Sub-Commission, AG, Rome
To : AHQ, R.A.F., Italy
Date : 12th March 1946
Ref. : AFSC/AIR/S.518/~~970~~ SIGS.

ITALIAN AIR FORCES FREQUENCIES - LECCE

Reference is made to your Headquarters signal S.319 dated 4th March 1946 concerning the mis-use of the frequency 116.1 Mc/s.

2. Copies of this Sub-Commission's letter of even reference dated 14th February 1946 and the reply from AFSC Detachment Lecce, are forwarded for your information.

3. It is requested that this Sub-Commission may be informed if irregularities persist, so that if necessary the matter may be further pursued.

EWF
for E.W. FREEMAN P/L
AIR VICE MARSHAL,
Director,
Air Forces Sub-Commission, AG
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FROM : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY, COMMUNICATIONS SECTION, ROME.
TO : AIR FORCES SUB.COMMISSION, A.C., ROME.
DATE : 11 MARCH 1946.
REF. : 410316/1-7.

BRINDISI RADIO BEACON (AVERAGE POWER)

*acknowledged
by [signature]*

In reply to letter No. 518 dated 26th February 1946,
we would like to inform you that the trasmis~~s~~ing frequency
of the Brindisi Radio Beacon will be altered to 403 Kc/s
from 00.00 hs. on 16th March 1946.

(LT. COL. A. DE VINCENTI.)

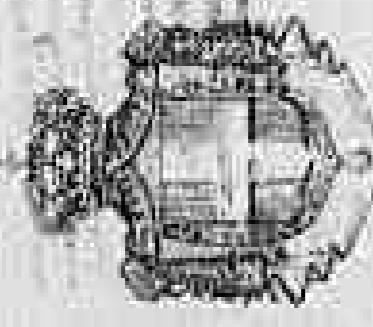


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Roma, 4 APR 1946 - 19



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DIVISIONE IV^a Sezione I

Questa

Lavoro

Ref. N.º 4103/6/1-7 Allegato

U.S. AIR FORCES SUB CONSULTATION

REAGIMENTO ALLO STATO MAGGIORE DELLA R.A.

S E D E

Proposta di legge

Dir. L. M. P. M.

Oggetto Radiotraffico di media potenza di Brindisi.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No.

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In risposta al foglio N.º 510 datato 26/2/1946, si comunica che la frequenza di emissione del radiotraffico di Brindisi sarà cambiata in Kc/s. 403 a partire dalle ore 00.00 del giorno 6 corrente.

IL DIRETTORE DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
(Ten. Col. M. A. DE VINCENTI)

M. De Vincenti



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LEGE V LAKE MM 81
FROM AFMC RAP ITALY 341515A
TO AFSC AC ROME

BT
S 815 A MSG UNCLASSED . COMPLAINT RECEIVED FROM
BRINDISI IAF A/C AT LEGGE USING CHANNEL C
116.1 MCS FOR LANDING AND TAKE - OFF INSTRUCTIONS
CAUSING CONSIDERABLE INTERFERENCE
BRINDISI VHF D/F . IN VIEW 114.34 MCS SUPPOSED TO
BE OPERATIVE AT LEGGE FOR TOWER CONTROL REQUEST ACTION
IN TAKEN PREVENT
FURTHER MIS-USE CHANNEL 'C'

BT 041515A
REPM 81 041515A
S 815 4 IAF A/C LEGGE C
116.1 MCS VHF D/F 114.34 MCS
SENT MM 81 MM K

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From: Air Forces Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission, LECCE.

To : Air Forces Sub-Commission,
Allied Commission, ROME.

Date: 6th, March, 1946.

Ref : AFSC/S/518/SIGS.

(8A)

R/T FREQUENCIES.

Appended herewith are the frequencies at present in use
in the Flying Control, Lecce.

2. a) Transport Aircraft.

6440 Kc/s.

b) P.39's and Spitfires.

114.84 M/cs. (on Channel D)

c) Italian Fighters.

47.15 m/cs.

47.16 m/cs.

47.15 Kc/s

A. Hart F/Lt.

A. HART. F/Lt.
Officer Commanding,
A.F.S.C. A.C.
LECCE.

Bent

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FROM : AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION, A.C., ROME.
TO : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY, COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTORATE.
DATE : 14th FEBRUARY 1946.
REF : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

(PA)

ITALIAN AIR FORCE FREQUENCIES.

In the course of the recent visit of the Chief Signals Officer of this Sub Commission, to Lecce, it was noted that the airfield control of aircraft on V.H.F. was set up to operate on World Guard frequency, (6450 x 18 Kc/S). This practice is contrary to the requirements of Headquarters Mediterranean and Middle East Signals Instrucion No. 25, which authorises under Service R.A. 5 the frequency 11484 Mc/S. for airfield control.

2. It is understood that crystals for the control of this frequency are now held by the I.A.F. and it is therefore requisite that the frequency change be introduced as soon as possible.

3. No objection is made to crystals for 116.1 Mc/S remaining installed, (in "C" button), In fact aircraft should carry this frequency in order to make use of the Allied V.H.F. distress service when and where applicable. The ground station may also retain crystals for the frequency, but it is not to be used except in emergency.

4. This Headquarter~~s~~ is to be notified when the required ~~frequency~~ ⁶⁰ change has been made.



E.W. FREEMAN F/LT.
AIR VICE MARSHAL
DIRECTOR
AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION.

Translation : Sgt. TAYLOR

Date : 19/2/46

Ref. : 410179/1-11/887 Coll.

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(1)

FREQUENCIES USED BY THE I.A.F.

In answer to letter n° 518 dated 11/2/46
 The tests on the night frequencies assigned to us in the above mentioned
 letter, are in the process of being completed.
 This Directorate before assigned these mentioned frequencies to radio
 stations at its dependences, has been compelled to modify or substitute
 many transmitter sets because they did not possess the scales 2700/2900
 Kc/s.
 As soon as it will be possible to insure a smooth running service on these
 new frequencies AFSC will be informed.

(Sgd) Officer Commanding Signals
 (Lieut. Col. De VINCENTI A.)

Date : 6/3/46

Ref. : 410265/TEL/886 Cool.

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FREQUENCIES USED BY THE I.A.F.

In answer to letter N° 518 dated 26/2/46
 On the 19/2/46 this Directorate answered to letter n° 518 dated the
 11/3/46, with a letter ref. 410179/1-11 of which a copy is forwarded.
 At the same time, we are now in a position to inform AFSC that the
 frequencies we were given in letter n° 518 OF the 21/1/46, have been
 distributed in the following order for the carrying out of night services:

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Servicee N° 15	Kc/s 2735
" " 11/13	Kc/s 2700
" " 16	Kc/s 2920

" " 12/14 Kc/s 3780 (when the transmitter sets will have been
 further modified the service will be carried out on Kc/s 2910).



(Sgd) Officer Commanding Signals
 (Lieut. Col. DE VINCENTI A.)

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Mod. 123

n°

Roma, 19/7/1948

Ufficio di Comunicazioni

DIREZIONE DI COMUNICAZIONI

SEZIONE RADIO

Domicile

Uff. Organico e Servizi

Rif. N. 210179/1-11/Roma

Nome

Michele Tafani

Cognome

Giu.

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M. 2

OGGETTO: Frequenze in uso nella R.A. *

R/ C M A

Si risponde al foglio n° 518 dell'11/2/46.-

Le prove circa l'impegno delle frequenze notturne assegnate con decreto foglio per vari servizi della R.A., sono in via di completamento.-

Questa Direzione prima di assegnare dette frequenze si trova nella necessità di modificare o sostituire alcuni trasmettitori in dotazione alle stazioni radio indipendenti poiché non comprendenti la gamma 2700/2900 Kc/s.-

In definitiva, non appena sarà possibile utilizzare in modo stabile le nuove frequenze assegnate, ne verrà data comunicazione a codesta A.P.S.C.

IL DIRETTORE DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
(Ten.Cel.Pil. A. DE VINCENTI.)

R/ to: Giansanti.-

Per copia conforme.-

Trasferito alla fin.

Ministero dell'Informazione

DIREZIONE
SERVIZIO RADIODIFFUSIONE

Divisione

Ref. N. 24/C 179/1-11/Roma

///1, A.P.S.G.

R.C.M.A.

*Proposta al Capo del
Governo - Roma - N.*

Oggetto: Frequenze in uso nella R.R.A. -

Si risponde al Reglio n° 516 dell'11/2/46.-

Le prove circa l'utilizzo delle frequenze notturne assegnate con detto Reglio per vari servizi della R.R.A., sono in via di compimento.-

Questa Direzione prima di assegnare dette frequenze si trova nella necessità di sostituire o sostituire alcuni trasmettitori in dotazione alle stazioni radio doganieri (anch'essi non comprendenti la gamma 2700/2900 Kc/s.)-

In determinate, non attuali, sarà possibile utilizzare in modo stabile le nuove frequenze assegnate, se verrà data comunicazione e codesta A.R.S.C.

*IL DIRETTORE DEL CONVENTIONI
(Ten. Col. Pil. A. DE VINCENTI.)*

P/ho: G. SANTINI.

Berrouche conforme.

Tu Dott. Pil.

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Roma. 6-2-46

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Rapporto delle trasmittittrici

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Reposta al foglio del

Dir.

Reposta al foglio del

Dir.

Oggetto:

Prevenzione

In capo N.A.

MI - A.P.S.C. ROMA

S.U.D.

Si risponde al foglio n° 518 del 6/2/46.-

In data 13/2/46 questa Direzione ha risposto al foglio n° 518 dell' 11/2/46 con il disavviso n° 410179/-1/-1 che si allega in copia.
Nel contempo si fa presente che la suddetta è ora in grado di comunicare che le frequenze suggerite da corretto n. 8.3.0. con il foglio n° 516 del 21/1/46, sono state destinate per l'esercizio dei servizi notturni come segue:

Servizio n. 12	W.E.S 2735,
" n. 13/13	K.C.E 2700
" n. 15	K.C.B 2700
" n. 12/16	K.O.U 2700 (linea 4000000)

dei trasmittitri, successivamente il servizio verrà avviato
P.e/S 2710).-



IL DIRETTORE DELLA COMUNICAZIONE
Gen. Bcl. P.M. A. Di Vincenzo

U. Giacobazzi

15A
(c)

FROM : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY,
COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTORATE, ROME.
TO : AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION, A.C. ROME.
DATE : 19th FEBRUARY 1946
REF. : 410179/1-11.

FREQUENCIES USED BY THE I.A.F.

8A

In reply to your No.518 dated 11th February 1946, we would like to inform you that the operating tests on the night frequencies assigned to us for the various I.A.F. Services, are being concluded.

This Directorate, before assigning the frequencies in question, will have to modify or substitute a certain number of Radio Station transmitters as they are deprived of range 2700/2900 Kc/s.

We shall inform you as soon as the new frequencies will definitely come into operation.

IL DIRETTORE DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
COL. DE VINCENTI



From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.
 To : Italian Air Ministry,
 Communications Directorate.
 Date : 26th February 1946
 Ref : APSC/AIR/S.518/SICOS.

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B.P. 5/3

MF. BEACON, BRINDISI - FREQUENCY.

The operating frequency of the medium power radio beacon at Brindisi was discussed with LT. COL. DE VINCENTI on about 15th January 1946, who intimated that the frequency 405 Kc/S in lieu of 403 Kc/S was in accordance with verbal instructions from Headquarters Mediterranean Allied Air Force.

2. No record of such an instruction is held by this Sub Commission, and confirmation was requested from Air Headquarters Royal Air Force Italy, and the matter was referred to Headquarters Mediterranean and Middle East. No trace of any authorised alteration of the frequency can be found.

3. This Sub Commission is instructed that the beacon is to revert to the frequency 403 Kc/S. You are required to give the appropriate orders to that effect.

4. It is essential that this Sub Commission be given four days notice of the date and time at which the frequency change will be made, in order that promulgation to all Allied flying units may be made.

E.W.F.
 for B.W. FREEMAN P/LT.
 Air Vice Marshal 5/3
 Director 54
 Air Forces Sub Commission

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From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.

To, : Italian Air Ministry,
Communications Directorate.

B.F. 3/3

Date : 26th February 1946.

Ref : AFBC/AIR/S.510/SIGS.

ALLOCATION OF FREQUENCIES

(A)

Reference is made to this Sub Commission's letter of even reference, dated 31st January 1946 which authorised the use of night frequencies required by the Italian Air Force for V/T communications.

Confirmation ^{of} that the frequencies allocated was requested at para 2, of that letter, and it is still awaited. No indication has been given whether they have been taken into use. An immediate reply is required.

EWT
for E. E. FREEMAN F/LT.
Air Vice Marshal,
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission.

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12A

From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.

To : Italian Air Ministry,
Communication Directorate.

Date : 27th February 1946.

B.F. 9/3

Ref : APSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

ALTERATION OF FREQUENCY - SERVICE 16.

A recent verbal request was made by the Director of Communications for a change of frequency that would clear the interference now being experienced on circuit RA 16, (RFA.P. notation RA 15), from the medium power Meteorological broadcast from Rome on 5895 Kc/S.

2. It is set practical to change the Meteorological broadcast frequency on medium power, but the alternative of changing the frequency of the Inter - C.A.V. circuit is offered. The frequency 5955 Kc/S can be allotted in lieu of 5920 Kc/S.
3. It is requested that the frequency 5955 Kc/S may be given a trial and a report submitted as to its suitability by 9th March 1946.

EWT 52
for S.W. FREEMAN P/LT.
Air Vice Marshal
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission

LROF V LAEE NR 56

CVR

FROM AMG RAF ITALY CMT
TO AIR FORCE SUB COMMISSION A/C ROME

BT

S 252 21 FEB UNCLASSIFIED (.) YOUR AFSC/AIR /S518
SIGS 14 FEB (.) UNABLE CHANGE D/C FREQUENCY
(.) 5955 KCS HS (OR) 5955 MCS ALLOTTED IN LIEU
5920 KCS FOR SERVICE RA15 (.) REQUEST TRIAL
AND ~~REPORT~~ REPORT IF FREQUENCY BEING TAKEN INTO UK

BT

SENT NR 56 EM BB

3078
RAF 11A

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N 54/22

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ab C658

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Rd 1650 ame

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Outgoing Signal.

From: Air Forces Sub-Commission, A.C., Rome.

SA + 6A

To: Italian Air Ministry, Rome

T.O.O. 190928A

S.270 FEB 19(.) UNCLASSIFIED (.) HASTEN REPLY BY AFSC/AIR/S.518/
SIGS FEB 11 AND JAN 31 ==

E.W.Freeman F/Lt.

Priority ROUTINE.

Air Vice Marshal,
Director
Air Forces Sub-Commission

518/Sigs



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9A

From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.
To : Air Headquarters, Royal Air Force, Italy.
Date : 14th February 1946.
Ref : AFSC/AIR/S518/SIGS.

B.F. 20/2

FREQUENCIES - ITALIAN AIR FORCE

It is advised by the Italian Air Ministry that some interference is being experienced at Rome between the Net. broadcast on 5895 Kc/s, Service R.A.14, and the Inter - C.A.V. circuit on 5920 Kc/s, Service RA.15, on account of the medium power of the broadcast and the relatively close proximity of the transmitter to the receiving station.

2. It is desired to make the broadcast transmission on a slightly lower frequency, in the order of 5850 Kc/S if such a frequency can be assigned for the purpose. Alternatively raising the frequency of Service R.A.15 by some 40 Kc/S would clear the interference, but would involve the change for a greater number of stations.

3. It is requested that this Sub Commission may be advised if a frequency change can conveniently be made.

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Rec'd
E.W. FREEMAN F/LT.
for Air Vice Marshal
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission.

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From : Air Forces SubCommission, A.O., Rome.

To : Italian Air Ministry,
Communications Directorate.

B.F. 19/2

Date : 11th February 1946.

Ref : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

FREQUENCIES - ITALIAN AIR FORCE.6A

Further to my letter of even reference dated 31st
January 1946, may the confirmation requested by para 2 now
be given?

EWF
E.W. FREEMAN F/LT.
Air Vice Marshal,
Director
Air Forces Sub Commission.

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TVW V LDIL NR183 ROUTINE

FROM AHQ RAF ITALY

TO AIR FORCE SUB COMMISSION A.C. ROME

GR BT

S144 30 JAN UNCLASS. YOUR S.221 29 JAN . REPLY AHQI/S4360/1/GS

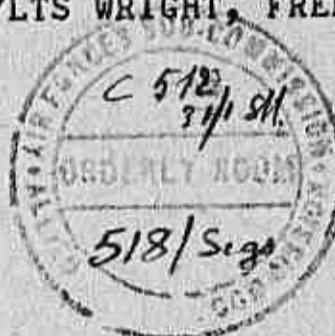
~~22 JAN CONFIRMING~~ / / / / /

22 JAN CONFIRMING TEL/CON F/LTS WRIGHT, FREEDOM DESPATCHED 23 JAN.

BT 301117A

SENT PHW AR K

RECD EM 1800KKK



Air 7A
3AN 84/30 CLA
achieved
EW58 47

6A

FROM : AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. ROMA
 TO : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY
 COMMUNICATIONS SECTION
 DATE : 31ST JAN. 1946
 REF. : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS

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Bent*FREQUENCIES - ITALIAN AIR FORCE.

In confirmation of recently telephoned information, you are advised that the following frequencies are allotted to the Italian Air Force for immediate trials:

- (i) Night frequency for circuits RA 8 and 10 (RAI notation, Servizio 11 e 13; Z.A.T.'s 1 and 3), 2735 Kc/s
- (ii) Night frequency for circuits RA 9 and 10 (RAI notation, Servizio 11 e 14; Z.A.T.'s 2 and 4), 2700 Kc/s
- (iii) Night frequency for circuit RA 15 (RAI notation, Servizio 16), 2920 Kc/s
- (iv) Night frequency for circuit RA 4 (RAI notation, Servizio 15), 2910 Kc/s
- (v) The frequency 3780 Kc/s is withdrawn.

2. It is requested that this Headquarters may be informed as soon as tests have been completed if the above frequencies are found to be suitable.

EWT *42*
 E.W.FREEMAN F/LT
 AIR VICE MARSHAL
 DIRECTOR
 AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION

OUTGOING MESSAGE

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518/SyP

FROM : AIR FORCES SUB COMM.(ROME)
TO : A.H.Q. RAF ITALY

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UNCLASSIFIED S.227 ././ T.O.O. 311018A ././ JAN/ 1946 ././
YOUR S.144 JAN. 30TH AHQI/S4360/1/SIGS NOW RECEIVED ././

EWF
E.W.FREEMAN F/LT
AIR VICE MARSHAL
DIRECTOR
AIR FORCES SUB COMMISSION

PRIORITY : ROUTINE

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From:- Air Headquarters, R.A.F. Italy.

To:- Air Force Sub-Commission, Allied Commission Rome.

Date:- 22nd January, 1946.

RESTRICTED.

Ref:- AHQI/S.4360/1/Signals.

FREQUENCIES - ITALIAN AIR FORCE.

Reference is made to your letter AFSC/AIR/S518/SIG3* dated 15th January, 1946.

2. Confirming telephone conversation F/Lts. Freeman and Wright a.m. 17th January, 1946, the following frequencies are allotted to the Italian Air Force for immediate trials:-

- (a) Night Frequency ccts RA8 RA10 2735 Kc/s.
- (b) Night " ccts RA9 RA11 2700 Kc/s.
- (c) Night " cct RA15 2920 Kc/s.
- (d) Night " ect RA4 to replace 3780 2910 Kc/s.

3. It is requested that confirmation may be given if the frequencies are found to be suitable and are being taken into permanent use.

Snelliford
f. Air Vice Marshal,
Air Officer Commanding,
AIR HEADQUARTERS, R.A.F. ITALY.



OUTGOING SIGNAL3A
S. 578/SIGS
BF 4/2

From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.

To : A.H.Q. R.A.F. Italy.

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UNCLASSIFIED (.) S.221 (.) TOO.29/1509 A JAN. '46 (.)
NO REPLY RECEIVED MY AFSC/AIR/S.578/SIGS. JAN 15 (.) REQUEST
ADVISE WHEN REPLY MAY BE EXPECTED (.)

DEFERRED

EWT
R.W. FREEMAN F/LT.63
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R E S T R I C T E D**2A**

From : Air Forces Sub Commission, A.C., Rome.

To : Air Headquarters, Royal Air Force, Italy.

Date : 15th January 1946

*B.F. 21/1/46
gwt.*

Ref : AFSC/AIR/S.518/SIGS.

FREQUENCIES - ITALIAN AIR FORCE.

It is advised by the Communications Section of the Italian Air Ministry that W/T communication over certain I.A.F. circuits is unsatisfactory at night and sometimes breaks down altogether.

2. The night frequency 3780 Kc/S appears to be too high and a frequency in the 2-3 megacycle band is desired as a replacement for it.

3. It is suggested that two common night frequencies, one for use on the eastern, and one on the western side of Italy should be introduced for the zone internal point to point circuits R.A. 8, 9, 10 and 11. That is one frequency for the Z.A.T.'s 1 and 3, and a second for the Z.A.T. 2 and 4, for the respective circuits R.A. 8 and 10 and R.A. 9 and 11. Frequencies in the 2-3 megacycle band have been requested.

4. Additionally a night frequency for the inter-CAV circuit R.A. 15 is desirable.

Again a 2-3 megacycle frequency has been requested but in view of the large number of stations working this net and their geographical dispositions it is thought that a low 3 megacycle frequency would be more suitable.

5. Consolidating these requirements, it is requested that four frequencies may be allocated. Three of these will be employed in zones 5, 6, 7, 8 and T, and one, for R.A. 15, also in zone 9. The power limitation in all cases is 400 watts.

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EWF
E.W. FREEMAN F/LT.
Air Vice Marshal,
Air Officer Commanding.

Sigs File S.S.18/Sigs 1A
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FROM : ITALIAN AIR MINISTRY
TO : A.F.S.C. (for information)
DATE : 10/1/46
REF. : 410007/TEL/114 COLL

No action
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GIVE DISPOSITIONS IN ORDER THAT BEGINNING FROM THE 12TH OF JANUARY UP TO THE 12TH OF FEBRUARY C.A. CHANGING OF FREQUENCY R.T. SERVICE SHOULD TAKE PLACE AT 0800 HRS INSTEAD OF 0700 HRS././ ANY BROADCAST CARRIED OUT DURING THESE HOURS SHOULD CARRY ON WITH THE SAME FREQUENCY WITH WHICH THE BROADCAST WAS COMMENCED /./ ACKNOWLEDGE /./ FROMINISTRO T.COL. DE VINCENTI /./



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COMUNICAEREO 410007/TEL // DISPORRE PERCHE' A PARTIRE
 DAL GIORNO 12 GENNAIO ET FINO 12 FEBBRAIO C.A. CAMBIO
 FREQUENZE SERVIZI R.T. AVVENGA AT ORE 0800 ANZICHE'
 ORE 0700 // EVENTUALI TRASMISSIONI IN CORSO IN
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 TRASMISSIONE // ASSICURARE // PROMINISTRO TENCOL
 DE VINCENTI

ROMA 10/1/1946



ALL'AIR FORCE SUB COMMISSION

ROMA

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