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MISS DORIS DUCA
JULY 1945

MINUTE SHEET NO. 3

DATE	PAGE
14 Aug.	①
<u>Division</u> Please see minutes ⑨ & ⑩ - I suggest we can't carry this any further - NFA if you agree <i>GA</i> <i>I agree</i> <i>RET</i> <i>16 Aug</i>	

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MINUTE SHEET NO. 2

DATE	PAGE
21 July	6. <u>Security Branch:</u> The correspondent of the NY Herald Tribune informs us that Miss Duca will be discharged in the next fortnight Alvin Brown P.R.O.
22 July	7. P.R.O. Local Govt. Seen and noted.
24 July	8. <u>S/Sgt</u> Calendar for 5 August - then refer to one of the Ex. Oslos that he can obtain confirmation of Miss Duca's dismissal & inform P. McIntyre; it will then be for them to take any action they think fit. Noted for [initials] <u>P.R.O.</u> ⑨ Ref. p. 2 - can you please state if Miss Duca has was in fact relinquished her employment with the Rame correspondent of the N.Y. Herald Tribune Ch. L. S. [initials] Director, L.G. S/C.
8 Aug.	2

Tribune informs me they will be discharged in the next fortnight
 Stewart Brown
 P.R.O.

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P.R.O. Local Govt.

Seen and noted.

S. J. Hanvey
 Security Division.

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S/Sgt

Calendar for 5 August - then refer to one of the
 Ex. Osso that he can obtain confirmation of this
 Duca's dismissal + inform P. Wilson; it will
 then be for them to take any action they think fit.

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P.R.O.

Ref. p. 2 - can you please state if Miss Duca has
 been in fact relinquished her employment with
 the Rome correspondent of the N.Y. Herald Tribune

W. J. Sullivan
 Major
 Director, L.G.S.C.

Noted

(10)

August 14, 1945

14 Aug.

Major Williams
 Local Government Sub-Commission

I regret to inform you that the correspondent of the
 New York Tribune has left Rome for Vienna and no one
 answers at his office. We cannot determine therefore,
 whether Miss Duca is still in his employ or not. In any
 case no one answers his phone.

RB

G. STEWART BROWN
 Director
 Public Relations Branch

MINUTE SHEET NO. 1

DATE	PAGE
14 Jul 46.	1. 2.
15 July	3
16 Jan 46	1

To. Major. Williams, in this 1-2
 Paper is answer to 1, based on 2. for my signature
 I will afterwards pass the file to Security to
 keep an eye on her, furthermore to prevent her
 getting an authority to proceed to BOLZANO or
 anywhere near

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 Ref. minute 1, letter for signature at p. 3

To a/sup. di.
 Note page 3. This is a draft. It is not final
 to sign to the lady's further employment. At 10
 may not be aware of it.
 Good to security for info.
 L.G.S.C.

Security Bonds
 Please see p. 1 + subsequent papers. You may
 wish to make inquiry into this lady's
 activities. In any case, would it be possible
 to make provision against her getting a pass
 for Bolzano again? If so then SLG would

14 July 46.

To: Major Williams, see this 1-2
Propose a memo to 1. and a 2. for my signature 1-2.

I will afterwards pass the file to Security to
to keep an eye on her, particularly to prevent her
getting an authority to proceed to Bolzano or
anywhere near

Division

Ref. number 1, letter for signature at p. 3

To 4/sep. 46.

Note page 3. This is a draft. It is not possible
to refer to the lady's future employment. At 10
may not be aware of it.
Post to Security for info.

L.G.S.C.

Security Branch

16 July

Please see p. 1 + subsequent papers. You may
wish to make inquiry into this lady's
activities. In any case, would it be possible
to make provision against her getting a pass
for Bolzano again? If so, this SFC would
strongly recommend it.

for Dwyer, L.G.S.C.
May 11

20 July

G.P.O. Could you ascertain when this decision is to be
this changed, so that this decision may take any
action necessary to restore the plan proceeding to Bolzano
G.P.O. 14 July 46.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

2 JUL 1945

REF : SD/14OFF-7

18 July 1945

SUBJECT : DUCA Doris

TO : Director, Local Government S/C

1. The case of the above named German national is well known to this Division.

2. The Ministry of the Interior gave a direction dated 21 Feb. 1945 ordering her "al confine" to Cave. Difficulties arose as Public Relations AFHQ by whom she was employed, found that her services were essential. Eventually the Ministry on the 4 July 1945 revoked the order.

3. The information available on DUCA is of such a character that it is most undesirable that she be employed by any Allied agency or that permission be given for her to visit frontier areas.

S.J. Harvey Maj
S.J. HARVEY,
Major,
Security Division.

SJI/nb

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STATISTICAL ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB-COMMISSION

10/56/10

16 July 1945

Subject: Miss Doris BDA
To: The Ministry of the Interior.

1. Reference your letter 21572/12173 Gabinete dated 10 July 1945.
2. Enquiries made by this Commission indicate that Miss Doris BDA, of the New York Daily Tribune, has not been in BOLIVIA during the past twelve months.

R. L. Griffiths
R. L. GRIFFITHS, Colonel
Director
Local Government Sub-Commission

Copy to: Public Relations Branch.

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New file
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
PUBLIC RELATIONS BRANCH

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14 JUL 1945
14 July 45

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SUBJECT: Miss Doris Duca

TO : Col. R. M. Cripps
Local Government Sub-Commission

1. Reference is to the attached.
2. There is a Miss Doris Duca employed as a secretary by the Rome correspondent of the New York Herald Tribune. She has been employed there for one year. She denies that she has been in northern Italy for more than a year. The correspondent of the New York Herald Tribune is a new man who just arrived three weeks ago and he has no way in knowing whether her statement is correct or not. Apparently he has had some other reports on her which have not been too favorable and he informed me that it is his intention to let her go.

Stewart Brown
G. STEWART BROWN
Director,
Public Relations Branch

Attachment

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To. P.R.O.

Can you give me any information
with regard to this in which
to have a reply.

R. R. Lippes

L.G. Sc.

12 JUL 45

THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
The Cabinet.

File.: 26372/12175

Rome the 10th July 1945

To the ARMED GOVERNMENT
Local Government S/C

Subject : Austrian Propaganda in Alto Adige.

For Your information and for any enquiries Your Hon. Commission will like to carry out, and of which we should like to be informed, we beg to communicate a private information received by this Ministry.

" Upon reliable source it is pointed out that some days ago Miss Doris Ducca, formerly employed by the German Embassy, has left Rome for Bolzano.

It appears that Miss Doris Ducca has gone to Bolzano on a journalistic mission on behalf of the New York Herald, of the Italian edition of which she seems to be a collaborator. It also appears that the said young lady, availing herself of her mission is going to develop, in all Alto Adige, an active propaganda in favour of the annexation of this territory to Austria. For this purpose it seems that she has with her considerable sums given her by Austrian personalities.

By order of the Minister
The Chief of the Cabinet

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Roma 10 Luglio 1945

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Ministero dell'Interno
Gabinetto

12 JUL 1945

Alla Commissione Alleata
Sottocommissione Governo
Locale R O M A

Divisione Legale
Rel. N. 24372/12173

Oggetto: Propaganda austriaca in Alto Adige. =

Si trascrive per opportuna notizia e per gli eventuali accertamenti che codesta On. Commissione vorrà disporre, e di cui si gradirà avere notizie, il testo di una informazione riservata pervenuta a questo Ministero:

"Da fonte attendibile viene segnalato che è partita giorni or sono da Roma per Bolzano la signorina Doris Duca già impiegata all'Ambasciata germanica.

La signorina Doris Duca avrebbe avuto un incarico giornalistico dal "New York Herald", della cui redazione italiana sarebbe entrata a far parte. Valendosi di questo incarico, la signorina Duca si appresterebbe a svolgere una attiva opera di propaganda in tutto l'Alto Adige in favore dell'annessione all'Austria. Per tale fine avrebbe con sé notevoli fondi avuti da personalità austriache".

D'ORDINE DEL MINISTRO
IL CAPO DI GABINETTO

[Signature]

Cant:

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