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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS

APC 512

24/11/43

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. RANDA:

TO: MR. RANDA

Provincial Labor Offices (Italian)

1. All arrangements for salaries and other necessary expenses of the Provincial Labor Offices (Italian) will be made through the channels established for State agencies. The E.O. will make such arrangements and will have the proper officials make their requests for advances in accordance with existing Financial Division instructions.

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24/11/43.

NUMERICAL MEMORANDUM:
NO 26:

APPENDIX A.
PROVINCIAL LABOR OFFICES
PROVISIONAL MONTHLY SALARIES FOR THE PERSONNEL

QUALIFICATIONS	FIRST CLASS OFFICES	SECOND CLASS OFFICES
Director	7,000	6,000
General Secretary	6,000	5,000
Service Chiefs (Sections and Offices)	5,000	4,500
First Category Employees ("Concetto")	4,500	4,000
Second Category Employees ("Concetto")	4,000	3,500
Third Category Employees ("Concetto")	3,500	3,000
First Category Subordinate Employees (orderlies)	3,000	2,800
Second Category Subordinate Employees (orderlies)	2,800	2,500
Temporary Personnel: Typists (male and female)	2,200/2,500	1,800/2,000
Ushers, auto drivers and errand boys	1,500/2,500	1,200/2,000
Errand boys (minors)	900/1,200	600/1,000

NOTES

- 1) The above salaries are provisional. The definite systematization of personnel will be effected upon the completion of the office organization.
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- 3) The above salaries are gross, and income tax and additional and complementary dues ("addizionale e complementare") are to be deducted.
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- 5) An official, coming from another public Administration, who continues to draw a salary from that Administration, may receive a personal indemnity of not more than one half of the salary due him, had he been directly and exclusively employed by the Provincial Labor Bureau.

GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
Quartiere Generale Regionale
della Sicilia

24/11/43.

NUMBERED MEMORANDA:

NO 28:

Uffici Prov inciali del Lavoro (Italiano)

1. Tutte le sistemazioni di stipendi e salari ed altre spese necessari per l'Ufficio Provinciale del Lavoro (Italiano) saranno fatte a tramite le vie stabilite per le agenzie statali. L'Ufficiale di Piranza avra' cura di tali sistemazioni e provvedera' a che i funzionari competenti facciano le loro richieste di acconti in base alle attuali istruzioni della Divisione Finanziaria.

2. L'alligata scheda paga dei salari (Appendico A) e' stabilita provvisoriamente per le varie categorie di impiegati degli Uffici Provinciali del Lavoro.

3. Gli Uffici Provinciali del Lavoro sono divisi in due classi. Gli uffici di Catania, Messina e Palermo sono uffici di prima classe e gli uffici di Agrigento, Caltanissetta, Enna, Ragusa, Siracusa e Trapani sono uffici di seconda classe.

4. Gli aumenti concessi in base all'Ordine Generale No 14 non sono applicabili a questa scheda paga.

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MILITARY COMMAND

No. 23

ALLEGATO A.
UFFICI PROVINCIALI DEL LAVORO
Stipendi mensili provvisori per il personale

UFFICI DI PRIMA CLASSE UFFICI DI SECONDA CLASSE

Direttore	7.000,00	6.000,00
Segretario Generale	6.000,00	5.000,00
Campi Servizio (Sezioni e Uffici)	5.000,00	4.500,00
Impiegati concetto prima categoria	4.500,00	4.000,00
Impiegati concetto seconda categoria	4.000,00	3.500,00
Impiegati concetto terza categoria	3.500,00	3.000,00
Impiegati 3° ordine prima categoria	3.000,00	2.800,00
Impiegati 2° ordine seconda categoria	2.800,00	2.500,00
Alunni d'ordine dattilografe	2.200,00/2.500	1.800,00/2.000,00
Uscieri-autisti e fattorini	1.500,00/2.500	1.200,00/2.000,00
Fattorini minorenni	900,00/1.200	600,00/1.000,00

NOTE:

- 1) I superiori stipendi sono provvisori. La sistemazione definitiva del personale avverrà a compiuta organizzazione degli uffici.
- 2) I superiori stipendi non comprendono l'aggiunta, che va corrisposta oltre, secondo le norme vigenti per gli impiegati dello Stato.
- 3) I superiori stipendi sono al lordo di R.M. addizionale e complementare.
- 4) Le indennità di trasferta e missione e il compenso per eventuale lavoro straordinario saranno liquidati secondo le norme vigenti per gli impiegati dello Stato.

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Impiegati concetto prima categoria	4.500,00			4.000,00	
Impiegati concetto seconda categoria	4.000,00			3.500,00	
Un Segati concetto	3.500,00			3.000,00	
Terza categoria	3.500,00			2.800,00	
Impiegati d'ordine prima categoria	3.500,00			2.500,00	
Impiegati d'ordine seconda categoria	2.800,00			2.200,00/2.500	
Alunni d'ordine detti-lograf. e dattilografe	2.200,00/2.500			1.800,00/2.000,00	
Uscieri-autisti e	1.500,00/2.500			1.200,00/2.000,00	
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- 5) Al pensionario, proveniente da altra Amministrazione pubblica, che sostituisce a percepire uno stipendio in dipendenza dell'originario funzionario, sarà liquidata una indennità personale non superiore alla metà quello che sarebbe lo stipendio che gli competerebbe con l'eccezione assunto direttamente ed esclusivamente dall'U.P.L.

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20/11/43

NUMBERED MEMORANDA:
NO 29:

RAILWAY TRANSPORTATION

1. Passenger Service

- a. Commencing 22 November 1943 civilian passenger service will be provided linking all provincial capitals except Messina. The service between certain points will be daily. Any point, other than Messina, can be reached by rail from any other point on the rail lines in operation at least twice weekly. Messina will have daily service from each direction as far as the lines will permit.
- b. The Sicilian State Railway Administration has provided a schedule of service of such character that travel permits will be unnecessary. Fares to be charged are those existing as of the date of occupation. No free passes shall be issued by AMG.
- c. The schedule of train movements will be posted in each railway station.

2. Freight Service

- a. As of 22 November 1943 a schedule of civilian freight trains will be operated by the Sicilian State Railways. The Capo Stazione in each station where operation is possible will possess a copy of this schedule.
- b. All movement of AMG goods shall be made by direct application to the Capo Stazione at the station of point of origin. It is essential that before requests for movements are made that full and complete arrangements be made with the consignee at point of destination in order that when delivery is made there shall be no delay in unloading cars. Complete information as to the consignee must be given at point of origin in order that way bills for each car may be properly prepared and so that the Capo Stazione may be advised as to whom notice should be given upon arrival of the shipment.
- c. Goods which are to be shipped on account of AMG such as imported foodstuffs, medical supplies, grain, etc. will be carried without the requirement of direct payment of freight charges. The Capo Stazione should be advised in each instance when goods are to be carried on account of AMG, otherwise regular freight charges will be collected. Whenever a movement is made on behalf of a civilian agency, whether governmental or otherwise, usual freight charges are to be made unless previous arrangements have been made with T.C.U.P.W. & Mining Division of this Headquarters to permit their carriage as AMG goods.
- d. A list of priorities for the movement of goods has been provided the railways. AMG goods to take precedence over all civilian movements. However, AMG goods cannot move except upon the trains provided in the regular schedule. Should any necessity for an extraordinary movement arise which cannot be cared for on the regular trains request must be directed to T.C.U.P.W. & Mining Division for special service. Under no circumstances shall any AMG officer order any train movement.

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- e. All military movements take priority over any civilian movements. This means that on occasion the civilian schedules will be interrupted. Military movements are under the exclusive and direct control of No. 1 District and I.B.S. Civilian movements are under the direct control of T.C.U.P.W. &

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Mining Division under authorization granted by No. 1 District and I.B.S. No. 1. All officers shall give any order to any rail employee regarding the operation of the railways except through the T.C.U.P.W. & Mining Division.

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NUMBERED MEMORANDUM:

24 November 1943.

NO 30:

ELECTRIC POWER

1. Because numerous reports have reached this headquarters of improper actions on the part of C.I.C.s the following information is published for the guidance of all concerned.

2. Within the five western provinces orders regarding operations of the S.G.E.S. and interconnected companies are given only by the Engineer, I.B.S. This includes all orders regarding furnishing of service and use of employees.

a. Commanders of military units submit their requests for service directly to the Engineer, I.B.S.

b. All A.M.C. and civilian requirements are submitted to the R.C.M.C., Palermo, for "Attention : Region utilities Officer".

3. Recent increases in hydro-electric output have been absorbed by the possibly permanent loss of the output of the Porto Empedocle steam plant. The total power available, or expected to be available within the near future, is thought to be sufficient for the following:

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c. The minimum necessary flour mills and bake shops (not paste manufacturing).

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(a) C.A.O.'S

(b) P.W.O.

(c) Supply.

(d) Police.

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4. a. All requests for service within the categories of par. 2, which had been received by I.E.S. prior to 9 November, had been approved.
 - b. Those received subsequent to that date are being held by the Region Utilities Officer until power is available.
 - c. The immediate problem on 10 November was a 25% reduction of capacity requiring an equal reduction in consumption.
 - d. Branch lines are not energized 24 hours per day because of excessive losses in the line.
 - e. All possible hydro-electric power is required for the grid rather than for local service.
5. Power is not approved for the following civilian uses:
- a. Domestic lighting
 - b. Electrical heating for any purpose. (Exception: certain limited medical uses).
 - c. Beauty parlors; ice cream and pastry manufacture or sale; or similar luxury uses.
6. Industrial users must be approved by the Region Utilities Officer.
- a. Power for mine pumping and operation is allocated to the Region Mining Officer and utilized under his jurisdiction.
 - b. Major industries will be operated only on directives from A.M.H.Q. or to meet A.M.C. or military requirements.

By Order of Lt. Colonel Charles POLETTI:

C.P. POLICK
Lt. Col., E.A.
Chief, T.C.P.P.R.
& Mining Div.

DIST: All C.C.A.O.'s & C.A.O.'s in provinces of:
Palermo

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DIST: All S.C.A.O.'s & C.A.O.'s in provinces of:
Palermo
Trapani
Agrigento
Caltanissetta
Enna

Encl. Staff Section Region I HQ., A.M.G.
Utilities Section spares: 15.

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UNRECORDED MEMORANDA
NO. 42:

3/12/43

1. Effective 0100 hours 2 December 1943, jurisdiction over the entire electric utility service was assumed by AMG. This jurisdiction will be exercised through the Region Utilities Officer.

2. All requests for electricity for military purposes will in all cases, be supplied upon authorization of a military representative of the Island Base Section or of No. 1 District.

b. The Senior Civil Affairs Officer for each province (or any one officer on his staff if so directed by the Senior Civil Affairs Officer) will exercise full authority to authorize electric service for the following within his province:

- (1) Water purification and pumping for community supply.
 - (2) Hospitals, doctors' offices, and other similar public institutions providing essential physical human needs.
 - (3) Flour mills and bake shops
 - (4) Commercial refrigeration to the extent essential to the preservation of perishable foods.
 - (5) Lighting for A.G.O. offices, C.A.O. and Senior Civil Affairs Officer billets, Red Cross buildings, Newspaper facilities for the Allied Forces, Police, Carabinieri and fire stations.
 - (6) Italian newspapers authorized by I.A.B.
- c. In exercising this authority as given in para. 2-b, the following principles should be observed by Senior Civil Affairs Officers.

- (1) The hours during which service is available to different classes and different locations will be as directed by the I.A.B. (Major towns for the provinces of Palermo, Trapani, Agrigento, Caltanissetta, and Mazara) or the Assistant I.A.B. (Major towns for the provinces of Messina, Catania, Siracusa, and Ragusa.)
- (2) Every possible preference will be given for the use of power between 2300 and 0500 hours, especially the larger users with a small number of vehicles.
- (3) Rotation of service between different individuals doing the same kind of work where there will be no increase in power or of energy consumed, may be directed by Senior Civil Affairs Officer when such is in the public interest.
- (a) This authority may be delegated to C.A.O. and may be withdrawn if the authority is abused.
- (b) This authority does not extend to individuals connected to service

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c. In exercising this authority as given in para. 2-b, the following principles should be observed by Senior Civil Affairs Officer:

- (1) The hours during which service is available to different classes and different locations will be as directed by the R.U.O. (Major Human for the provinces of Palermo, Trapani, Agrigento, Gallarate, and Brera) or the Assistant R.U.O. (Major Crompton for the provinces of Messina, Catania, Siracusa, and Ragusa.)
- (2) Every possible preference will be given for the use of power between 2300 and 0500 hours, especially the larger users with a small number of workers.
- (3) Rotation of service between different individuals doing the same thing, where there will be no increase in power or of energy consumed, may be directed by Senior Civil Affairs Officer when such is in the public interest.

(a) This authority may be delegated to G.A.O. and may be withdrawn if the authority is abused.

(b) This authority does not extend to individuals connected to serve a military requirement.

3. No loads other than those given in para. 2-b will be connected without the authorization of the R.U.O. or Assistant R.U.O. (each in his respective area.)

4. The general manager of S.C.A.S. will be responsible for:

- a. Maintaining correct voltage and frequency.
- b. Maintaining continuity of service.
- c. Maintaining specified reserves.

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d. Keeping the load within plant capacity. To do this he is directed to use such of the following means as are necessary and applicable:

- (1) Retate service between customers or groups of customers (exclusive of military installations).
- (2) Refuse service to any non-essential applicant.
- (3) Reduce the hours per day or days per week during which service is given.
- e. Refusing or disconnecting service to any civilian customer using the power for heating, cooking or similar luxury use. (Exception; heating is permitted for sterilizers in hospitals, clinics and Medical Doctors offices.)
- f. Providing service ordered by military authority or by R.U.O. or the Administrator R.U.O. If necessary, other loads will be disconnected for this purpose.
- g. Providing service to as many of the following classes of customers as may be done after meeting the above requirements, with order of priority as indicated:
 - (1) Governmental agencies (municipio - postoffices - railway installations - cinemas approved by F. A. B. - industries required for maintenance of priority customers.)
 - (2) Sulphur mines, chemical works, etc., as specified by the R.U.O. or Administrator R.U.O.
 - (3) Food and clothing manufacture (olives - lemons - leather - shoes - soap - salt - dairy products - fish - wine - nuts - beans - flour - bakeries - pasta.)
 - (4) Repair shops. (Carpenters shops - machine shops - foundries - automobile repair - electrical repairs.)
 - (5) Public institutions and semi-public service. (Orphanages - convalescent schools - churches - offices of engineers and lawyers.)
 - (6) Street railways, limited service
 - (7) Limited residential lighting.
 - (8) Non essential industries and commercial establishments (shops - restaurants - radio repair - cafes - printers - photographers - pharmacies - furniture repairs.)
 - (9) Other loads to the capacity of the system.
- h. Resale companies are given their pro-rata share of increases in available energy.
- i. Promptly conveying to each resale company any orders from AIG which affect the resale company.

5. No special construction will be made to give special service excepting on the order of the AIG.

By Order of Lt. Colonel Charles POLATTI.

4. Providing service ordered by military authority or by R.U.O. or the Assistant R.U.O. If necessary, other loads will be disconnected for this purpose.

5. Providing service to as many of the following classes of customers as may be done after meeting the above requirements, with order of priority as indicated:

- (1) Governmental agencies (municipalities - postoffices - railway installations - cinemas approved by P.M.E. - industries required for maintenance of priority customers.)
 - (2) Sulphur mines, chemical works, etc., as specified by the R.U.O. or Assistant R.U.O.
 - (3) Wood and clothing manufacture (cloves - lemons - leather - shoes - soap - salt - hair products - fish - wine - nuts - beans - flour - batteries - paste.)
 - (4) Repair shops. (Carpenters shops - machine shops - foundries - automobile repair - electrical repairs.)
 - (5) Public institutions and semi-public service. (Orphanages - convents - schools - churches - offices of engineers and lawyers.)
 - (6) Street railways, limited service
 - (7) Limited residential lighting.
 - (8) Non essential industries and commercial establishments (shops - restaurants - radio repair - cafes - printers - photographers - pharmacies - furniture repairs.)
 - (9) Other loads to the capacity of the system.
- h. Resale companies are given their pro-rata share of increases in available energy.
- i. Promptly conveying to each resale company any orders from AIG which affect the resale company.
5. No special construction will be made to give special service excepting on the order of the AIG.

By order of Lt. Colonel Charles POLLITI.

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SUBJECT: The Command:
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1. All policy regarding political activity or manifestations of a political nature is based on the directive from the Combined Chiefs of Staffs. The directive does not permit political activity or manifestation.
2. This means that no political party, of whatever shade or inclination, can:
 - a. Hold public meetings of any kind
 - b. Print, or cause to be printed, affix, or distribute posters.
 - c. Print, or cause to be printed, or distribute pamphlets or other written material of a political nature.
3. Moreover, All has never stopped private meetings in the homes of individuals. All has sought to permit, within the limits of its controlling directive, freedom of thought and expression.
4. The above policy has been in effect since the occupation and will remain in force until notice is given to the contrary.

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2. This means that no political party, of whatever shade or inclination, can:
 - a. Hold public meetings of any kind
 - b. Print, or cause to be printed, affix, or distribute posters.
 - c. Print, or cause to be printed, or distribute pamphlets or other written material of a political nature.
3. However, A.C. has never stopped private meetings in the homes of individuals. A.C. has sought to permit, within the limits of its controlling directive, freedom of thought and expression.
4. The above policy has been in effect since the occupation and will remain in force until notice is given to the contrary.

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GOVERNAMENTO MILITARE ALLIATO
 GUERRE GENERALI REGIONALI
 DELLA SICILIA

13/12/45.

COMANDO:

No. 434

1. Le direttive del Governo Militare Alleato riguardanti l'attività politica o manifestazioni di natura politica sono basate sulle istruzioni avute dai Capi di Stato Maggiore delle Forze Alleate. Queste istruzioni non permettono attività o manifestazioni politiche.

2. Pertanto, nessun partito politico di qualsiasi genere o tendenza potrà:

- (a) tenere riunioni pubbliche di qualsiasi genere
- (b) stampare, fare stampare, affiggere o distribuire manifesti
- (c) stampare, fare stampare, o distribuire libretti od altro materiale di natura politica.

3. Il Governo Militare Alleato non ha mai impedito discussioni in caso di privati. Il Governo Militare Alleato ha cercato di lasciare, nei limiti delle sue direttive, libertà di pensiero e di espressione. Questa libertà deve essere subordinata alle necessità contingenti per il buon proseguimento della guerra.

4. Le suddette direttive sono entrate in vigore dall'inizio dell'occupazione e rimarranno in forza fino a che non venga data comunicazione contraria.

Charles F. Smith

CHARLES F. SMITH
 Tenente Colonnello
 Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
 della Sicilia

DISSEMINAZIONE:

1. L'attività politica o manifestazioni di natura politica sono basate sulle istruzioni emesse dal Capo di Stato Maggiore delle Forze Armate. Queste istruzioni non permettono attività o manifestazioni politiche.

2. Pertanto, nessun partito politico di qualsiasi genere o tendenza potrà:

- (a) tenere riunioni pubbliche di qualsiasi genere
- (b) stampare, fare stampare, editare o distribuire manifesti
- (c) stampare, fare stampare, o distribuire libretti od altro materiale di natura politica.

3. Il Governo Militare alleato non ha mai impedito discussioni in case di privati. Il Governo alleato ha cercato di lasciare, nei limiti delle sue direttive, libertà di pensiero e di espressione. Questa libertà deve essere subordinata alle necessità contingenti per il buon proseguimento della guerra.

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WHESTER MEMORANDA:
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1. Public welfare expenditures required for carrying on the program outlined in General Order No. 6 (V-1/26.17/RPL), Administrative Instruction No. 6 (V-1/319.2/RPL), and numbered Memoranda No. 25 (RVT 400.36) shall be treated as State expenses and requests for funds shall be made through the Prefecture.
2. Communal V.C.A.'s shall submit requests for funds and supporting budget information directly to the Italian Provincial Departments of Social Welfare which are hereby charged with the responsibility of recommending to the Capo Regioniere of the Prefettura the sums to be allowed each V.C.A. for each month.
3. Each V.C.A. budget shall be subdivided into three major items of (1) Payments to persons in need. (2) Salaries and wages of employees. (3) Other expenses. Provincial Departments of Social Welfare shall have authority to require the submission of such additional financial or statistical information as may be found necessary to properly supervise the public welfare program of the province.

By Order of Lt. Colonel CHARLES POLERAT:

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1. Public welfare expenditures required for carrying on the program outlined in General Order No. 6 (R-1/26.17/RFL), Administrative Instruction No. 5 (R-1/519.4/RFL), and numbered memoranda No. 25 (R-1/400.36) shall be treated as State expenses and requests for funds shall be made through the Prefettura.
2. Communal P.C.A.'s shall submit requests for funds and supporting budget information directly to the Italian Provincial Departments of Social Welfare which are hereby charged with the responsibility of recommending to the Capo Regionale of the Prefettura the sums to be allowed each P.C.A. for each month.
3. Each P.C.A. budget shall be subdivided into three major items of (1) Payments to persons in need. (2) Salaries and wages of employees. (3) Other expenses.

Provincial Departments of Social Welfare shall have authority to require the submission of such additional financial or statistical information as may be found necessary to properly supervise the public welfare program of the Province.

By Order of Lt. Colonel CARLOS FOLIA:

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2. Gli uffici dovranno sottoporre le loro richieste di fondi, indirizzate da un bilancio preventivo, al bilancio preventivo dell'Ufficio Provinciale di Assistenza Sociale. Lo stesso ufficio ha la responsabilità di comunicare al Maggiore Capo della Provincia, con l'equa somma che deve essere usata per essere assegnata ad ogni Comune.
3. Ogni bilancio dell'Ufficio deve essere suddiviso in tre parti principali: 1) Per le persone fisiche e persone fisiche; 2) Per le persone fisiche; 3) Per le persone fisiche. Gli uffici Provinciali dell'Assistenza Sociale sono autorizzati a richiedere che siano sottoposti tali dati finanziari e statistiche addizionali che possono essere necessari per poterli confrontare con i programmi P.2. L'Assistenza Sociale della Provincia.

Per Ordine del Ten. Colonnello Charles F. GIBBY

R. D. GIBBY
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Ufficio Superiore Regionale
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ARMED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILIAN REGION HEADQUARTERS
PO 391

16/12/83

TO BEHOLD MEMORANDUM:
17.

PLAN FOR OPERATION ON AUXILIARY COLOR SIGNALS
IN SICILIAN WATERS

1. Basic Policy

- a. Re-establishment and rehabilitation of merchant shipping operations through the local Italian Shipping Agencies, i.e., the Capitanerie, Agenti Marittimi and Ship-owners under supervision of AMG

2. Operations

- a. Capitanerie. The Capitanerie (Port Captains) will be re-established in Sicilian ports not devoted exclusively to military or naval operations and will carry on their usual functions under the supervision of the local Senior Civil Affairs Officers. It is contemplated that, in addition thereto, for the purpose of facilitating the salvage of sunken craft within Sicilian waters, the Capitanerie will be empowered to supervise, co-ordinate and initiate salvage operations within their respective jurisdictions. They will have to secure the necessary clearances from the military and naval authorities through the local Senior Civil Affairs Officer, and will have to maintain complete records covering all operations for the future adjustment of claims. A directive will be issued later in this connection.

- b. Agenti Marittimi. A representative group of maritime agents will be established in a central booking office at Palermo and Catania and will perform their normal essential functions under the supervision of the AMG officer having jurisdiction.

- (1) Cargo. All cargo will be booked through this central office in accordance with priorities established by the Economics and Supply Division, Region I Headquarters, and at uniform freight tariffs established by AMG Headquarters Region I, (Freight Tariff Schedule attached, Appendix A). AMG cargo will, of course, have the highest priority but freight will be paid by AMG on the same basis as those charged for commercial shipments. The attached schedule of freight tariffs has been proposed by representative Italian Maritime Agents and will be strictly enforced throughout Region I though subject to subsequent adjustment if circumstances demand. The control of all cargo movements may thus be maintained through this central office by spot checks and requiring or copies of all manifests.

- (2) Vessels. All vessels available to regional operations will be allocated to specific trades by the Shipping Division, Region I Headquarters, after consultation with the Economics and Supply Division, Region I Headquarters and placed at the disposal of the central agency concerned for operation. The control of these vessels will thus be maintained by specific allocations to certain trades between named ports and by co-ordination with the Capitanerie.

1. Basic Policy

- a. Re-establishment and rehabilitation of merchant shipping operations through the local Italian Shipping Agencies, i.e., the Capitanerie, Agents Italiani and Ship-owners under supervision of AGC.

2. Operations

- a. Capitanerie. The Capitanerie (Port Captains) will be re-established in Sicilian ports not devoted exclusively to military or naval operations and will carry out their naval functions under the supervision of the local Senior Civil Affairs Officers. It is contemplated that, in addition thereto, for the purpose of facilitating the salvage of sunken craft within Sicilian waters, the Capitanerie will be empowered to supervise, co-ordinate and initiate salvage operations within their respective jurisdictions. They will have to secure the necessary clearances from the military and naval authorities through the local Senior Civil Affairs Officer, and will have to maintain complete records covering all operations for the future adjustment of claims. A directive will be issued later in this connection.

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- (3) Compensation of Agents. The central booking agencies will receive by way of compensation, a commission of 6% outward and 1% inward, both on gross freight booked.

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c. Ship-Owners. The vessels will be operated by the ship-owners who will receive their compensation as normally out of freight receipts. They will likewise assume all responsibilities, financial and otherwise, regarding the operation, maintenance, repairs, insurance, etc., of same.

2. Through the machinery outlined above, the necessary control, both over the movement of cargo as well as the vessels, can be maintained, while the problem of operation will remain in the hands of the Italians. The plan likewise has the additional attributes of flexibility and uniformity, thus facilitating the movement of essential supplies from areas of surplus to areas of shortage and placing into actual occupation the greatest number of people.

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REGISTERED MEMORANDA 147APPENDIX 1

NEW DISTANCES RATES	50 MILES	100 MILES	150 MILES	200 MILES	250 MILES
Category I	350 L.	305 L.	125 L.	165 L.	525 L.
Category II	280 L.	310 L.	310 L.	375 L.	425 L.
Category III	235 L.	260 L.	285 L.	315 L.	350 L.
Category IV	175 L.	200 L.	225 L.	250 L.	275 L.

A.Increase of 50%

B.Increase of 100%

Minimum E/L freight 500 kilos.

Weight of single packages not to exceed 300 kilos; for heavier packages up to one ton, there is a 10% increase. For further heavier lifts, freight rates to be agreed upon.

A reduction on freight of 20% will be allowed for full cargoes of the same commodity.

The present tariff applies to voyages between safe ports. An increase of 20% should be charged when loading or discharging place is an open beach; 10% if both loading and discharging places are open beaches.

AIR DISTANCE MILES	50 MILES	100 MILES	150 MILES	200 MILES	250 MILES
Category I	350 L.	305 L.	425 L.	465 L.	525 L.
Category II	280 L.	310 L.	340 L.	375 L.	425 L.
Category III	235 L.	260 L.	285 L.	315 L.	350 L.
Category IV	175 L.	200 L.	225 L.	250 L.	275 L.

A. Increase of 50%

B. Increase of 100%

Minimum B/L freight 500 kilos.

Weight of single packages not to exceed 300 kilos; for heavier packages up to one ton, there is a 10% increase. For further heavier lifts, freight rates to be agreed upon.

A reduction on freight of 20% will be allowed for full cargoes of the same commodity.

The present tariff applies to voyages between safe ports. An increase of 20% should be charged when loading or discharging place is an open beach; 40% if both loading and discharging places are open beaches.

NUMBERED MEMORANDA 147APPENDIX I

(cont.)

<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>CATEGORY</u>
Accessori e parti macchine (engine accessories and parts)	I
Acciaio - ritagli e rottami (steel - shavings and turnings)	III
Acciughe salate in fusti (anchovies - salted in casks)	II
Aceto in fusti (vinegar in casks)	III
Aglio (garlic)	III
Acido citrico (citric acid)	I
Acido tartarico (tartaric acid)	II
Acro di limone - crudo o cotto (lemon juice - crude or concentrated)	III
Acro di arancia - crudo o cotto (orange juice - crude or concentrated)	II
Agumi (Citrus fruits) limoni - Arance - Mandarini (Lemons - Oranges - Tangerines)	II
in salamoia (in brine)	III
Acacia di vino in sacchi (argols in bags)	III
Arredi di casa e masserizie usate (household goods; used)	I-II
Asfalto (asphalt)	IV
Avena (Oats)	IV
Birra - in bottiglie in casse (beer - bottled in cases)	II
Birra - in barili (beer - in barrels)	III
Bitume - in fusti (bitumen - in casks)	III
Caffe - in sacchi (coffee - in bags)	II
Calce spenta - in sacchi (lime - clacked in bags)	IV

Acetunghes salate in fusti (anchovies - salted in casks)	III
Aceto in fusti (vinegar in casks)	III
Aglio (garlic)	I
Acido citrico (citric acid)	II
Acido tartarico (tartaric acid)	III
Agro di limone - crudo o cotto (Lemon juice - crude or concentrated)	II
Agro di arance - crudo o cotto (Orange juice - crude or concentrated)	II
Agumi (citrus fruits)	III
Limon - arance - mandarini (Lemons - Oranges - Tangerines)	III
in salamoia (in brine)	III
Paccia di vino in sacchi (Argols in bags)	III
Arredi di casa e masserizie usate (household goods; used)	I-E
Asfalto (asphalt)	IV
Avena (Oats)	IV
Birra - in bottiglie in casse (beer - bottled in cases)	II
Birra - in barili (beer - in barrels)	III
Bitume - in fusti (bitumen - in casks)	III
Caffe - in sacchi (coffee - in bags)	II
Calce spenta - in sacchi (lime - slacked in bags)	IV
Carbone vegetale (charcoal)	III-A
Carbone fossile (coal)	IV
Carnebe (carrub beans)	III-A
Carta da giornale (newspaper paper)	III
Carta da imballo (wrapping paper)	III
Castagne (chest-nuts)	III

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Uccel (chickpeas)	III
Cemento (cement)	IV
Cipolle e cipolline (onions)	III
Conserva di pomodoro (tomato sauce)	III
Conserva alimentare (preserves)	II
Cordami (cordages)	III
Cottone - balle pressate (cotton - in pressed bales)	III-B
Guano vegetale (vegetable fibre)	III-B
Grassa e cruschello (bran and pollard)	IV-A
Essenze (essences)	I-E
Legumi secchi (haricot beans - dried)	III
Farina di grano (grain flour)	III
Farina di mandorle (almond flour)	I
Farina e semole (flour and farina)	III
Fave secche (beans - dried)	III
Ferro in lavori (ironware)	III
Ferro - rottami (iron - scraps)	b IV
Fichi secchi (figs - dried)	II
Formaggi (cheese)	II
Fiumento (grain)	IV
Frutta secca (dried fruit)	II
Gesso (gypsum)	IV
Lana grezza - in balle (raw wool - in bales)	II-B
Legname (wood): Sagati (sawn)	II
tronchi (timbers)	III

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Coriandri (corianders)	III
Cotone - balle pressate (cotton - in pressed bales)	III-B
Cina vegetale (vegetable fibre)	III-B
Crusca o cruschetto (bran and pollard)	IV-A
Essenze (essences)	I-B
Fagioli secchi (haricot beans - dried)	III
Farina di grano (grain flour)	III
Farina di mandorle (almond flour)	I
Farina o semole (flour and farina)	III
Fave secche (beans - dried)	III
Ferri in lavoro (ironware)	II
Ferro - rottami (iron - scraps)	b IV
Fichi secchi (figs - dried)	II
Formaggi (cheese)	II
Frumento (grain)	IV
Frutta secca (dried fruit)	II
Gesso (gypsum)	IV
Lana grezza - in balle (raw wool - in bales)	II-B
Legname (wood): Segati (sawn) tronchi (timbers)	II III
Liquirizia - pasta o bastoni (licorice - paste or sticks)	I
Liquirizia - radici in balle (licorice - roots in bales)	II
Lupine (lupines)	III
Liquori - in casse (liquors - in cases)	I

<u>COMMODITY</u>	<u>CATEGORY</u>
Liquori - in fusti (liquors in casks)	II
Maiz	I
Manite	II
Marsala Wine: in bottiglie - in casse (bottles in cases)	III
in fusti (in casks)	III
in demigiane (in demijohns)	I
Mattoni (tiles)	III
Medicinali (medicinals)	I-4
Melloni (melons)	III
Olio d'oliva (olive oil) in casse (in cases)	II
in fusti (in casks)	III
Olio industriale (industrial oil)	III
Olio al solfuro (Sulphur oil)	III
Olive in salamoia (olives in brine)	III
Olive secche (olives - dried)	II
Orzo (barley)	IV
Pasta alimentare in casse (macaroni in cases)	III
Patate (potatoes)	IV
Pelli conciate o salate (skins, tanned or salted)	II
Pelli secche (skins - dried)	II-4
Pesci conservati in fusti (preserved fish in casks)	II
Pietra calcarea (limestone)	IV
Pistacchio - sgusciato (shelled pistachios)	I
Pistacchio con guscio (unshelled pistachios)	II
Pneumatici	II-4

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Salgemma (rock-salt)	IV
Sale marino (salt)	IV
Sapone grezzo (soap)	III
Sapone - in scatole (soap - in boxes)	IV
Sape (Brooms)	III-4
Scorze di agrumi in salamoia (citrus peel in brine)	IV
Scorze di agrumi - secche (citrus peel - dried)	IV-B
Senave; semolino, seagliola (mustard; linseed; bird seeds)	IV
Silicato di soda (sodium silicate)	IV
Sommacco in foglia (sumac - leaves)	IV-B
Sommacco - molito (sumac - ground)	III
Stracci (rags)	III-B
Sughero - greggio cascari (corkwood) - raw, corkaste)	IV-B
fino in balle pressate (slabs in pressed bales)	III
Tabacco - in foglia (tobacco - leaves)	III
Tabacco - manifatturato (tobacco - manufactured)	I-B
Tessuti di lana e lino (tissues woolen and linen)	I
Tessuti - di cotone (tissues - cotton)	III
Tessuti - di seta (tissues - silk)	I-B
Turaccioli di sughero (corks)	II-B
Uva - fresca (fresh grapes)	II
Uva secca (dried grapes)	I
Verrouth - in dardi-giano (in demi-johns)	I

(soap - in boxes)	II
Scopo	
(Brooms)	III-A
Scorza di agrumi in salamoia	
(citrus peel in brine)	IV
Scorza di agrumi - seccate	
(citrus peel - dried)	IV-B
Sempe; semolino, seagliola	
(mustard; linseed; bird seeds)	IV
Silicate di soda	
(sodium silicate)	IV
Sommacco in foglia	
(sumac - leaves)	IV-B
Sommacco - molito	
(sumac - ground)	III
Stracci	
(rags)	III-B
Suphero - greggio casorni	
(conlaced) - raw, corkaste)	IV-B
fino in belle pressate	
(skins in pressed holes)	II
Tobacco - in foglia	
(tobacco - leaves)	II
Tobacco - manifatturato	
(tobacco - manufactured)	I-B
Tessuti di lana e lino	
(tissues woolen and linen)	I
Tessuti - di cotone	
(tissues - cotton)	II
Tessuti - di seta	
(tissues - silk)	P-B
Funaccololi di eughero	
(corks)	II-B
Uva - fresca	
(fresh grapes)	III
Uva secca	
(dried grapes)	I
Vermouth - in damigiane	
(in demijohns)	I
bottiglie in casse	
(bottles in cases)	II
in fusti	
(in casks)	4323
Vino: (wine)	
in fusti (in casks)	III
bottiglie in casse (bottles in cases)	IV
Zolfo	
(sulphur)	IV
Zucchero	
(sugar)	III

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS

AIO 394

27/12/43

NUMBERED MEMORANDA:
48:

FIREARMS

1. Shot Guns.

- a. In certain sections, local chiefs of the Carabinieri, Finance Guards, and Agents of Public Security have recommended that authority be granted to appoint private watchmen who are employed on large landed estates in order to assist them in the maintenance of order in rural areas.

Authority is hereby given to appoint and/or reappoint the necessary number of such private watchmen. They should be engaged as "SPECIAL POLICE" and will be permitted to carry shotguns ONLY, and not in excess of ten cartridges.

- b. In some other isolated areas landed proprietors and farmers have felt obliged to protect their crops from thieves.

Discretionary authority is hereby given to permit limited numbers of such residents of such areas to have shotguns ONLY and a limited amount of ammunition for the purpose of protecting their property and crops. Persons so authorized will not be permitted to bear arms or carry ammunition off their own property except for the purpose of guarding the properties of other residents in their own immediate locality.

- c. Applications should be made in writing to the Questore (or the Carabinieri Reali) who will cause inquiry to be made into the character of the applicant. If satisfactory, a permit will be issued by the Questore to carry a shotgun and not more than 10 rounds of ammunition in accordance with the above directions.

- d. Pistols, Revolvers, etc.

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FIREARMS

1. Shot Guns.

a. In certain sections, local chiefs of the Carabinieri, Finance Guards, and Agents of Public Security have recommended that authority be granted to appoint private watchmen who are employed on large landed estates in order to assist them in the maintenance of order in rural areas.

Authority is hereby given to appoint and/or reappoint the necessary number of such private watchmen. They should be engaged as "SPECIAL POLICE" and will be permitted to carry shotguns ONLY, and not in excess of ten cartridges.

b. In some other isolated areas landed proprietors and farmers have felt obliged to protect their crops from thieves.

Discretionary authority is hereby given to permit limited numbers of such residents of such areas to have shotguns ONLY and a limited amount of ammunition for the purpose of protecting their property and crops. Persons so authorized will not be permitted to bear arms or carry ammunition off their own property except for the purpose of guarding the properties of other residents in their own immediate locality.

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2. Pistols, Revolvers, etc.

The general policy as to possession of firearms is unchanged, but having regard to existing conditions, it has been decided to issue permits to carry hand guns to a limited number of responsible persons viz. bank employees, post office officials, customs officials, responsible persons in Government employment, Prefects, etc.

Applications should be made in writing to the Questore (or CC.RR.) who will cause inquiry to be made into the character of the applicant. If satisfactory, the application will be submitted by the Questore to the SCAG for covering authority before the issue of a permit. If approved by the SCAG, per-

mits will be issued by Questore in accordance with the provision of Italian law.

3. The Questore will keep a strength report of the approved persons which will also show the description of the firearms and the amount of ammunition held and will submit two copies weekly, one to Prefect and one to S.C.A.O.

4. Police.

Cases have come to notice recently where arms have been withheld from such Police agencies as Guardia di Finanza, Guardia Municipale, Customs Guards, etc. General authority is hereby given for all Police to carry arms in the performance of their duties.

5. Except as herein provided the Proclamations respecting the possession of firearms shall be rigidly enforced.

Charles R. Ralston

CHARLES RALSTON
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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10/12/43

UNCLASSIFIED INFORMATION:
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POLICY CONCERNING WAGE INCREASES IN REGION I

The following extract from an AFHQ memorandum concerning Policy of wage increases in Region I, is forwarded for information:-

1. "Control of inflation in areas under AMG (or AGC) is one of the major requirements of AFHQ. Under this policy substantial additional wage increases cannot be granted, for such increases would be powerful inflationary forces. Officers are requested and instructed, therefore, to be extremely careful when wage questions are being considered to do or say nothing contrary or prejudicial to the AFHQ's efforts to control inflation.
2. Officers should understand that substantial additional wage increases leading to inflation are more harmful in the long run to the people than are the results of the present wage scale. The quantities of goods available in the area under AFHQ control is limited to the amount on hand, plus the amount which can be produced in the area, plus the amount which can be imported. Because of war conditions, the amount of higher wages, with the consequent higher prices, will not alleviate the supply situation by increasing significantly the amount of goods produced or imported. However, by furnishing added impetus to the inflationary tendencies of higher wages and higher prices will do positive harm. Inflation disrupts the civilian economy and creates civil unrest, thus reducing the amount of goods produced and available for consumption. The lot of the civilian is made worse and progress of the Allied armies is hindered because more men and more resources must be diverted to uses behind the combat lines.
3. In making vigorous efforts to forestall inflation and the fullest cooperation of all AFHQ officers in not encouraging requests for wage increases is requested and expected."

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- The following extract from an AEB HQ memorandum concerning Policy of 230 increases in Section I, is forwarded for information:-
1. Unchecked inflation in areas under AEG (or ACG) is one of the major requirements of AEG. Under this policy substantial additional wage increases cannot be granted, as such increases would be potentially inflationary forces. Officers are requested to instruct, therefore, to be extremely careful when wage questions are being considered to do or say nothing contrary or prejudicial to the AEG's efforts to control inflation.
 2. Officers should understand that substantial additional wage increases leading to inflation are more harmful in the long run to the people than are the results of the current wage scale. The quantities of goods available in the area under AEG control is limited to the amount on hand, plus the amount which can be produced in the area, plus the amount which can be imported. Because of war conditions payment of higher wages, with the consequent higher prices, will not alleviate the supply situation by increasing significantly the amounts of goods produced or imported. However, by furnishing added impetus to the inflationary tendencies the higher wages and higher prices will do positive harm. Inflation disrupts the civilian economy and creates civil unrest, thus reducing the amount of goods produced and available for consumption. The lot of the civilian is made worse and progress of the Allied armies is hindered because more men and more resources must be diverted to uses behind the combat lines.
 3. AEG is making vigorous efforts to forestall inflation and the fullest cooperation of all AEG officers in not encouraging requests for wage increases is requested and expected.

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8 December 1943.

Memorandum: Policy Concerning Wage Increases in Region I

TO : All AMG Officers in AMG Headquarters and Region I

1. Control of inflation in areas under A.M.G. (or A.C.C.) is one of the major requirements of A.M.G. Under this policy substantial additional wage increases cannot be granted, for such increases would be powerful inflationary forces. Officers are requested and instructed, therefore, to be extremely careful when wage questions are being considered to do or say nothing contrary or prejudicial to the A.M.G.'s efforts to control inflation.

2. Officers should understand that substantial additional wage increases leading to inflation are more harmful in the long run to the people than are the results of the present wage scale. The quantities of goods available in the area under A.M.G. control is limited to the amount on hand, plus the amount which can be imported. Because of war conditions payment of higher wages, with the consequent higher prices, will not alleviate the supply situation by increasing significantly the amount of goods produced or imported. However, by furnishing added impetus to the inflationary tendency of higher wages and higher prices will do positive harm. Inflation disrupts the civilian economy and creates civil unrest, thus reducing the amount of goods produced and available for consumption. The lot of the civilian is made worse and progress of the Allied armies is hindered because more men and more resources must be diverted to uses behind the combat lines.

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8 December 1943.

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TRAVEL BETWEEN SICILY AND THE MAINLAND

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a. ACC and AMG Officers will be permitted to travel by the Ferry Service provided that they are in possession of the necessary Travel Orders, Movement Orders, or Passes.

b. Civilians will have to obtain passes from AMG Reggio or AMG Messina. (See below for details of procedure.)

c. AMG is not concerned with Italian Military personnel who obtain the necessary permission from Hd. 59 Area (Pr.)

PROCEDURE FOR TRAVEL OF CIVILIANS

2. Application by a civilian for permission to use the Ferry Service will be made in duplicate to the CAC where applicant resides or is otherwise lawfully present. CAO's will forward original and duplicate to SCAG of his province, with recommendation. (See sample form on reverse side.)

3. The SCAG will decide whether the grounds on which the application is made are sufficient. The privilege should be limited to journeys of an official nature or on urgent family affairs which make the journey essential rather than desirable.

4. If approved, the SCAG will forward both copies of the application to the SCAG of the province of destination for his consent.

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N.B. The journey to the Ferry Terminal will be subject to any circulation restrictions in force in the Regions concerned.

it will be for Regions as a matter of interior administration to decide whether reference to Regional Headquarters is necessary in the event the journey entails a tour of more than one province.

By command of Brigadier General McSHERRY;

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APPLICATION FOR PASS

M.N. FERRY SERVICE REGGIO-MESSINA.

Name in full _____ Sex _____
 Identity Card No. _____
 Official position _____

 Address _____

 Reason for journey _____
 Destination _____
 Motor Vehicle Registration No. _____
 Name of Driver _____
 Date _____ Signature of applicant _____

 To S.C.A.O. _____
 _____ Province
 Forwarded and recommended
 Date _____ C.A.O. _____

 To S.C.A.O. _____
 _____ Province
 Forwarded and recommended
 Date _____ S.C.A.O. Province of _____

 To S.C.A.O. _____
 Province of MESSINA-REGGIO
 Approved
 Date _____ S.C.A.O. Province of _____

(Sample form)

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Province of MESSINA-REGGIO _____
Approved _____
Date _____ S.C.A.O. Province of _____

(Sample Form)

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SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS 11/1/42

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 6

SUBJECT: Public Assistance Policies

TO : S.I.A.O.'s and Public Welfare Officers

1. Policies for local public assistance agencies.

a. One of the first actions of provincial departments of Social Welfare will be to issue general policies for the guidance of local communes in the granting of public assistance. There is much too wide a variation in local agency understanding as to which cases are eligible for public relief and the amount of payment allowable. For example, discontinuance of military allowances to families of soldiers (the sussidio militare) and of payments made in lieu of money formerly sent by relatives living in America or other foreign countries, has resulted in serious hardship for many people. It has also created considerable misunderstanding as to whether payments for orphans come to these, and other special groups, are to be paid by communal assistance agencies.

b. The AGC policy is that all relief must be granted solely on a need or means test basis, regardless of former pension status. Under AGC policy the maximum daily assistance grants (for use in calculating 15 day payments) are L. 25 for the head of the family and L. 10 for other dependent members of the household. This scale is obviously excessive for the average relief case in rural communes although there may be exceptional cases in which aid should be granted at this level for specific periods of time. The following points should be considered in establishing standards of public assistance in any commune or group of communes:

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additional dependent) is to be granted as a right to all persons who, in the past, have enjoyed large incomes. Such incomes may have been greater than they can expect in the future. In those cases the necessity of adjusting to a more simple standard of living must be pointed out and relief payments made accordingly. The objective should be conservation of the health and abilities of all potentially useful persons without supporting at a higher standard than is warranted those persons who wish to be regarded as "high class" without any evidence of past or future usefulness.

- (3) In no case will relief be granted to persons refusing to accept employment at work for which they are fitted to perform and such persons, if already receiving relief, will be removed from the rolls.

2. Methods of Investigating Relief Cases.

- a. In approaching a family to secure information about their need for assistance it is best to adopt an attitude of friendly interest in their situation. This should encourage them to be straightforward in their replies. If an unfriendly or bullying attitude is assumed the person interviewed would naturally wish to conceal information if possible.
- b. The family should be informed that assistance is given to enable the family to return to self support at the earliest possible moment in all cases where any possibility of self support exists.
- c. They should also be informed that we can be of maximum assistance to them working out their plans if they give us a full and accurate understanding of their circumstances.
- d. In a situation where the family does not respond to a friendly interest in their situation and seem inclined to give insufficient or misleading information about their circumstances, it should be pointed out that penalties exist for making false statements in order to secure public funds.
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 - (2) What has changed their situation to make the application necessary?

- (3) What may be considered their minimum budget per month?
- Rent
 - Food, including Medicine or Special Diets.
 - Clothing
 - Other necessities
- (4) What insurance or other benefits do they have?
- (5) What property do they own?
- (6) Have they ever had a bank or postal Savings account? At what bank?
- (7) Have they received any assistance from relatives in the past year?
- (8) Do they have any relatives able to assist?
- (9) What is the occupation of all members of the family over 14 years and not in school?
- (10) Are all employable members registered with the local labor office (in cities where there is one)?
- (11) What is the family's plan for eventual self support.
- f. In cases of aged persons, the mentally or physically incapacitated, and widows with small children, re-investigation once in six (6) months should be adequate. In families having employable members check at least once each month.
3. Organization of Investigational work.
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- b. In the larger communes the job of investigating relief applications is much more difficult than in the villages where individual family circumstances are more or less common knowledge. Voluntary, unpaid committees, no matter how well meaning they may be, simply do not have the time to make home and neighborhood investigations of large numbers of relief applications. In Sicily the traditional method has been to require the Carabinieri or security police to check the accuracy of statements recorded on an application form or letter. This method, although far from satisfactory, is the best method thus far found for certain communes. Care should be taken not to

place the police in a position of deciding the relief grants. They should only report factual information to the responsible welfare agency which will use it in connection with other factors in deciding who should receive aid, for what period of time, and in what amounts. In addition, it is highly desirable, for all large public assistance agencies to employ their own agents of investigation.

c. Under the supervision of a reliable visiting staff attached directly to public assistance agency it is possible to send workers to make effective use of the voluntary visiting of the poor carried out by lay members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society as a part of their religious duty. Information received and reported by these people can be extremely valuable to the staff of an ever worked public assistance agency. In addition, these people can often be used to distribute clothing to those cases for which it may have to be issued.

d. Experience in both England and America has resulted in the gradual evolution of a group of trained and experienced social workers who know how to administer assistance in such a way as not to per se create dependence but rather to conserve the health and energies of individuals so that they can again become self-sustaining members of society. This should also be the objective of the agency visitors referred to above. If the use of police can be entirely eliminated by having a sufficient number of agency visitors and volunteers from the St. Vincent de Paul Society, so much the better.

By order of Lt. Colonel BOLTON:

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SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS

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11/3/43

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION #9

SUBJECT: Rationing and Prices

TO : All Senior Civil Affairs Officers

1. The new ration cards for the period 1 November 1943 - 29 February 1944 have already been distributed throughout the provinces and their use began, as contemplated, on November 1, 1943.

With these cards, rationing of available supplies of bread, pasta, olive oil and sugar will continue, but no other articles of food for human consumption will be rationed after 31 October, 1943. Soap is the only non-edible article for which specific coupons are provided. The additional coupons are for such other commodities as may be available in the future for rationing.

2. The embargo laws will remain in force only for wheat, olive oil and olive oil residues. All other commodities produced in Sicily or the adjacent islands may be sold to the public, or otherwise dealt with, free of obligation to deliver to Ammassi, and must be permitted to move freely between the provinces, subject only to the usual police regulations as to transport.

3. Beginning on 6 November, 1943 the maximum ration for bread will be 200 grams per day and no additional allowances will be permitted for any particular class of persons (such as heavy workers, carabinieri, patients in hospitals and institutions), except that in the case of patients in hospitals or institutions, S.C.A.Os are authorized, when satisfied that circumstances so require, to increase bread rations.

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3. Beginning on 8 November, 1943 the maximum ration for bread will be 200 grams per day and no additional allowances will be permitted for any particular class of persons (such as heavy workers, carabinieri, patients in hospitals and institutions), except that in the case of patients in hospitals or institutions, S.C.A.O.s are authorized, when satisfied that circumstances so require, to increase bread rations.

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No distribution of flour instead of bread will be permitted.

4. Every effort must be made by civilian officials, S.C.A.Os and C.A.Os to ensure that the bread rations are available. It is nevertheless recognized that scarcity of supplies, transportation difficulties, and the selfish conduct of certain producers and black market operators in diverting supplies from legal channels, may at times prevent distribution in full of the authorized rations.

5. In view of the shortage of wheat and flour, effective 8 November, 1943 no rations of pasta will be permitted. The S.C.A.O of each province in which pasta was being distributed prior to said date will make and publish an order applicable to his province and signed by him, giving effect to the above elimination of pasta and stating that this is done by my direction.

6. The present maximum price of bread, 3.60 lire per kilo, will remain in force until further order. It is intended, however, that retail consumer prices and allowances to Conserzio, wholesaler, baker and/or retailer be suggested for each province by the prefect thereof, after consultation with the S.C.A.O. and competent provincial officials, so that there will be normal price differentials between localities consequent upon varying proximity to producing areas, and different transport, labor, sales and other costs. Such suggestions must be forwarded by S.C.A.Os to Regional HQ for co-ordination and approval, and they must contain full information in case of intra-provincial price differentials, in order that HQ may know the proposals for adjacent portions of the various provinces.

It is directed that the foregoing suggestions from Prefects be submitted by all S.C.A.Os as soon as possible and in no event later than 10 November, 1943, since proposals from all the provinces are essential to determination as to any one. If no suggestion is received from a province by said date, HQ will determine the figures for that province on the basis of information available.

7. As provided for in Regional Order #13, Article I, Section 3, after October, 1943 all wheat, in excess of authorized seed and food allowances, which has not been delivered to the ammassi will be confiscated in accordance with General Order No. 3.

S.C.A.Os are therefore directed to order C.A.Os in grain producing areas

5. In view of the shortage of wheat and flour, effective 8 November, 1943

no rations of pasta will be permitted. The S.C.A.O. of each province in which pasta was being distributed prior to said date will make and publish an order applicable to his province and signed by him, giving effect to the above elimination of pasta and stating that this is done by my direction.

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7. As provided for in Regional Order #13, Article I, Section 8, after October, 1943 all wheat, in excess of authorized seed and food allowances, which has not been delivered to the ammassi will be confiscated in accordance with General Order No. 3.

S.C.A.O.s are therefore directed to order C.A.O.s in grain producing areas immediately to subordinate all other duties to an intensive campaign of grain collection, on which the C.A.O.s must spend all of at least 4 days a week, until further notice.

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Suggested procedure is as follows:

- a. Small Producers and Houses: In each commune or district responsible local officials designated by the C.A.O. should conduct house to house searches in the villages and in the country, assisted by carabinieri, for the purpose of finding grain held in excess of the allowances. Grain found should be checked against amounts declared, and Accertamenti official should be present at the search for this purpose. Grain in excess of the allowances should be confiscated.

For instance if a farmer has on hand 25 quintals, has family of 4, and plans to sow 5 hectares, he may be allowed to keep $4 \times 2 = 8$ for food, and $5 \times 1.4 = 7$ for seed. 8 quintali should be confiscated without payment. If the farmer has already seeded, what he may keep is to be reduced accordingly.

- b. Large Producers: In addition, each C.A.O. should himself investigate, on the basis of declarations for this and former years, large producers who have not declared or who have not unnessed reasonable quantities this year. They should be visited, without prior warning, by the C.A.O. personally and carabinieri, together with a person qualified to estimate quantity. All grain in excess of proper family and seed allowances should be confiscated. Search must be thorough, even if breaking in is necessary. Large producers should also be fined and imprisoned if a clear case of violation of law is established.
- c. Whenever needed, either A.M.G. trucks of the communes, or mules, should be used at once to transport grain to ammassi. Grain confiscated should be purchased from A.M.G. by the consorziato.
- d. Close scrutiny of declarations is directed, to see that family, employee and seed allowances are fair. It will be no excuse

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d. Close scrutiny of declarations is aimed, to see that family, employee and seed allowances are fair. It will be no excuse for the local Italian officials to plead different practices in former years or lack of authority. All responsibility and authority should be vested in a capable local official who should be helped by Accertamenti and other officials. He must be checked closely by the C.A.O. Failure of local officials to carry out these instructions will be ground for removal and prosecution.

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- e. Surprise road blocks should be instituted to prevent illegal transport of grain, particularly at night.
- f. C.A.Os in non-producing areas should when requested assist C.A.Os in grain-producing areas (1) with personal help, and (2) by loan of trucks for substantial periods of time.
- g. A weekly report of steps taken and of amounts amassed hereunder will be sent to HQ until further notice.

IMPORTANT

8. It is the responsibility of each S.C.A.O. to see that Regional Order #13 is published and diffused in his province and that its provisions are enforced. Particular care will be taken to ensure effective enforcement of the provisions of Article I by the appropriate officials, and to be certain that each understands his duties in connection therewith.

It is to be noted that confiscation of grain required under Section 8 of Article I of Regional Order #13 should include, until 15 December 1943, grain held in excess of seed and food allowances, and that after 15 December 1943, it should include grain held in excess of the food allowance only (see Section 7, Article I of said Order).

DISTRIBUTION:

Agrigento	25
Calabria	20
Catania	25
Enna	15
Messina	25
Palermo	35
Ragusa	15
Siracusa	25
Trepani	25

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Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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Caltanissetta	20
Catania	25
Enna	15
Messina	25
Palermo	35
Ragusa	15
Siracusa	25
Trapani	25
AMHOT HQ	10
REGIONAL HQ	50

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
Sicily Region Headquarters

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8/11/43

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS NO. 12

SUBJECT: Consorzi di Bonifica. (Land Improvement Associations)

TO : All Senior Civil Affairs Officers.

1. In order to have a unified policy and control, all Consorzi di Bonifica will be placed under the control and supervision of the Special Commissioner of Ente Colonizzazione Latifondo Siciliano in Palermo with a Vice Commissioner responsible for the operation and management of each individual Consorzio.

2. To achieve this end, the enclosed order will be brought to notice of all Prefects and other appropriate officials.

3. For information and guidance, the Consorzi di Bonifica operated in Sicily in the following places:

1. Alto e Medio Belice (Palermo)
2. Serra Fichera-Stazione Valledlunga (Palermo)
3. Cuti-Cioline-Monaco-S. Nicola (Palermo)
4. Quattro Finanze-Giarlo (Palermo)
5. Casale-Tre Cupole (Trapani)
6. Mergi di Birgi e Gorgo Marausa (Trapani)
7. Delia-Nivolelli (Trapani)
8. Valle del Tumarrano (Agrigento)
9. Altesina-Alto Dittaino (Leonforte)
10. Cagliano-Castelferrato-Tricina (Leonforte)
11. Caltagirone (Caltagirone)
12. Piana del Gela (Gela)
13. Pantano di Lentini (Catania)
14. Lago di Lentini (Lentini)
15. Piana di Catania (Catania)
16. Salite (Caltanissetta)
17. Salso Inferiore (Palermo)
18. Paludi di Ispica (Ispica)

4. The first 13 Consorzi were controlled and administered by the Director General of Ente Colonizzazione Latifondo Siciliano and the remaining 5 by Prince Borghese, Governor of Rome, Prof. Scavone, Land Inspector - province of Catanzaro, Duke Spadefora - Under-secretary of State to the Minister of Agriculture, and Comm. Nisi Moltisanti.

5. The functions of Ente Colonizzazione Latifondo Siciliano and Consorzi di Bonifica will be continued under the control of Controller of Property, Region I, AMG. All recommendations and suggestions should in the first instance be submitted to Region I Headquarters for attention

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- 20 Property Controller Division
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ARMED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 512

23/11/33

OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO 25:

Considering Art. 66 of the Royal Decree, dated February 13, 1942, No. 215;

Considering the Circular of the Ministry of Agriculture dated October 20, 1939, No. 31, regarding the necessity to co-ordinate the work of the Consorzi di Bonifica di Sicilia giving the direction to the Ente Colonizzazione Iatitondo Siciliano;

Considering Ministerial Decrees dated November 6, 1939 - January 30, 1941 - November 20, 1940 - December 7, 1939 - May 22, 1940 - February 19, 1940 - January 5, 1940 and January 19, 1941, by which the General Director of the Ente Colonizzazione Iatitondo Siciliano was nominated Commissario Straordinario of the Consorzi di Bonifica "Alto e Medio Belice" - Cuti Girolamo Monaco S. Nicola - Pabbro Vinsise Marone - Serva Pichera - Della Nivolelli - Margi di Birgi - Casale Tre Capule - Altesina Alto Dittaino - Gugliano Castelferrato Troina - Piana del Gela - Caltagirone - Valle del Fumarano - Pantano di Lentini;

Considering it is advisable that the Ente di Colonizzazione continue, for the present time, in its coordination work and administration of the Consorzi di Bonifica Siciliani;

Considering it also advisable to nominate a Commissioner Extraordinary for the Administration of the aforementioned Consorzi to take the place of Prof. Mazzonari Alessani, as well as for the other following Consorzi:

"Salito-Salvo Inferiore - Piana di Catania - Lago di Lentini - Paludi di Ispica";

In view of the order of October 1, 1942, of the Allied Military Government by which Dr. Vincenzo Faravino was appointed Special Commissioner of the Ente di Colonizzazione del Latifondo Siciliano;

And having heard the Regional Agricultural Inspector for Sicily;

I, CHARLES POIRIER, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer, by virtue of power conferred on me,

C O M M A N D

2. That Dr. Vincenzo Faravino, Special Commissioner of the Ente di Colonizzazione del Latifondo Siciliano, be appointed Commissioner for the extraordinary administration of the following Consorzi di Bonifica, with the same deliberative and representative powers belonging to the organizations of the ordinary administration:

"Alto e Medio Belice" - Cuti Girolamo Monaco S. Nicola - Cutaro Finestre
Giaran - Servafichera - Della Nivolelli - Margi di Birgi - Casale Tre Capule -
Altesina Alto Dittaino - Gugliano Castelferrato Troina - Piana del Gela - Pabbro
Valle del Fumarano - Pantano di Lentini - Salito - Salvo Inferiore - Piana
Catania - Lago di Lentini - Paludi di Ispica".

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Considering Art. 60 of the Royal Decree, dated February 15, 1943, No. 215;

Considering the Circular of the Ministry of Agriculture dated October 21, 1939, No. 31, regarding the necessity to co-ordinate the work of the Consorzi di Bonifica di Sicilia giving the direction to the Ente Colonizzazioni Latifondo Siciliani;

Considering Ministerial Decrees dated November 8, 1939 - January 30, 1940 - November 20, 1940 - December 7, 1939 - May 22, 1940 - February 19, 1940 - January 5, 1940 and January 10, 1941, by which the General Director of the Colonizzazioni Latifondo Siciliane was nominated Commissario Straordinario of the Consorzi di Bonifica "Alto e Medio Belice" - Cuti Giolino Monaco S. Nicola - Gattaro Vinante Bianco - Serra Ficcare - Della Nivolella - Margi di Birgi - Casale Tre Cupule - Altesina Alto Dittaino - Gagliano Castelferrato - Troina - Miana del Gela - Caltagirone - Valle del Tunarano - Pantano di Lentini;

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"Salso-Salvo Inferiore" - Piana di Catania - Lago di Lentini - Paludi di Ispica;

In view of the order of October 1, 1943, of the Allied Military Government by which Dr. Vincenzo Paternò was appointed Special Commissioner of the Ente di Colonizzazioni del Latifondo Siciliano;

And having heard the Regional Agricultural Inspector for Sicily;

I, CHARLES POLIGNI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer, by virtue of power conferred on me,

O R D E R

a. That Dr. Vincenzo Paternò, Special Commissioner of the Ente di Colonizzazioni del Latifondo Siciliano, be appointed Commissioner for the extraordinary administration of the following Consorzi di Bonifica, with the same deliberative and representative powers belonging to the organizations of the ordinary administration:

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b. That the Orders and Decrees by which Commissioners Extraordinary were appointed in the Enti Consorzi aforementioned, are to be abolished and substituted by the present order.

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C. That the Commissioner Extraordinary will be assisted in his duties by actual Vice Commissioner of each Consorzio who eventually will be confirmed or substituted by an appropriate order on indication by the Ispettore Agrario Compendimentale per la Sicilia.

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Ministero dell'Agricoltura e foreste
SICILIA
ORDINE N. 15

Viene l'art. 66 del R.D. 13/4/1933 N. 215.

Ritenuto che il Ministero dell'Agricoltura e foreste, con circolare 25 Ottobre 1939, nello intento di assicurare l'organicità e l'unità di azione dei Consorzi di bonifica della Sicilia e per conseguire una più rapida realizzazione delle opere, ravviso necessario coordinare più strettamente la gestione dei Consorzi stessi accentrando le direttive nelle Enti di colonizzazione del Latifondo Siciliano;

Vieta i decreti Ministeriali: 8 Novembre 1939-30 gennaio 1941; 20 novembre 1940 - 7 dicembre 1939 - 22 maggio 1940-19 febbraio 1940 5 gennaio 1940 o 16 gennaio 1941, coi quali il Prof. Nello Mazzocchi Alemanni, Direttore Generale dell'Ente di Colonizzazione del Latifondo Siciliano, fu nominato Commissario Straordinario dei Consorzi di Bonifica "Alto e Medio Belicosa - Cuti Ciolino Monaco San Nicola - Quattro Filate Giando - Serra Filicosa - Delia Nivolelli - Margi di Birgi - Ca al Tre Cuoli - Altesina - Alto Dittaino - Gagliano Castelferrato Troina - Piana del Gela - Galtanire - Vallo del Tamarano - Pantano di Lentini;

Ritenuta l'opportunità che l'Ente di Colonizzazione predetto continui, per il momento, nell'opera di coordinamento delle gestioni dei Consorzi di Benefica Siciliani;

Ritenuta altresì l'opportunità di nominare un Commissario Straordinario per l'amministrazione dei Consorzi suddetti in sostituzione del Prof. Mazzocchi Alemanni e per i seguenti altri Consorzi che versano pure in fase di gestione straordinaria;

"Salito - Salso Inferiore - Piana di Catania - Lago di Lentini - Palude di Isica"

Vista l'ordinanza 1° Ottobre 1943 del Governo Militare Alleato con cui il dottore Vincenzo Paravino venne nominato Commissario Speciale dell'Ente di Colonizzazione del Latifondo Siciliano;

Sentito l'Ispezzore Agrario Compartimentale della Sicilia;
Io, CHARLES POLETTI, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia, in virtù dei poteri conferiti.

O R D I N O

a) Il Dr. Vincenzo Paravino, Commissario Speciale dell'Ente di Colonizzazione del Latifondo Siciliano, è nominato Commissario per la straordinaria amministrazione dei seguenti Consorzi di Bonifica, con tutti i poteri di deliberazione e di rappresentanza spettanti agli Organi della ordinaria amministrazione:

"Alto e Medio Belico - Cuti Ciolino Monaco Sant. Nicola - Quattro Filate Giando - Serrafichera - Delia Nivolelli - Margi di Birgi - Casale Troina - Altesina - Alto Dittaino - Gagliano Castelferrato - Troina - Piana del Gela - Galtanire - Valle del Tamarano - Pantano di Lentini - Salito Salso Inferiore - Piana di Catania - Lago di Lentini - Palude di Isica"

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b) I decreti e le ordinanze con quali si è provveduto in precedenza alla nomina di Commissari Straordinari negli Enti Consortili predetti si intendono abrogati e sostituiti dalla presente.

c) Il Commissario Straordinario nelle sue funzioni sarà coadiuvato dallo attuale Vice Commissario di ciascun Consorzio da confermare o eventualmente sostituire con apposito provvedimento su designazione dell'Ispettore Agrario Compartimentale per la Sicilia.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 512

Reference

11/6/43

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 13

SUBJECT: Advance of one month's salary to government employees

TO : SCAG's
FO's
RO's
REGION OF SICILY

1. Many government officials throughout Sicily have requested authority to advance one month's salary to government employees who had received five months advance of salary from the Italian government, and who have spent such salary and are now in destitute circumstances.

2. Senior Civil Affairs Officers, Finance Officers, and Sicily Region Headquarters, Financial Division, are authorized to grant permission, when requested by Italian government officials, for such loans and to advance the necessary funds for the purpose.

3. The Italian government officials concerned must be instructed that:

- a. the advance may be made at once at the equivalent of one month's global pay (using October as determinant);
- b. the advances must be made as loans, repayment to be made by six equal deductions from monthly pay over a period of six months, beginning with January 1944.
- c. The advances are to be made only to employees who were paid five month's salary in advance before occupation.

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11/5/43

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION 33-14

SUBJECT: Fuel

TO: All S.C.A.G.'s

1. In view of the scarcity of fuel in the island, it is necessary to ration strictly both existing stocks and imports. To this end, and to enable the necessary estimates of needs to be submitted by this HQ to higher authority, the enclosed standard forms have been prepared. They must be executed in triplicate, two copies for this HQ which must be submitted by the 15th of each month, and one for the provincial A.I.G. Supply Officer.
2. It is obvious that unless the forms are carefully and accurately prepared, and submitted on time, it will be impossible to obtain necessary imports or to effect fair distribution among the Provinces.
3. In accordance with the directive of the R.C.A.G. that so far as possible civilians should be given more and more of the responsibility hitherto borne by A.M.G., the attached forms are to be prepared by Italian officials chosen for the purpose, and the allotment and delivery of the products available to the provinces will be carried out by them. The function of the provincial A.M.G. Supply Officer will be to check, countersign and forward the forms and to check the distribution of the fuels when they arrive. The primary responsibility will be upon the Italian officials, who have been appointed by, and have received instructions from their superiors, in the case of petroleum from the A.G.I.P. (Azienda Generale Italiana Petroli) head for Sicily, and in the case of coal from Giacomo Sinagra & Figli, Palermo. The names of these provincial directors appear on the forms.
4. Distribution points will be selected, for petroleum products by the A.G.I.P. director of the Province and for coal by the coal director, but subject to the approval of the provincial A.M.G. Supply Officer. The smallest number possible will be established, in order to facilitate control, but due regard will be given to preventing wasteful hauls by consumers.
5. Although it is expected that the system inaugurated may be run by Italians alone, it is clear that the more help that can be given at the start by A.M.G. Supply Officers, the more likely it will be that the scheme will function smoothly and honestly.

be necessary to ration strictly both existing stocks and imports. No this end, and to enable the necessary estimates of needs to be submitted by this HQ to higher authority, the enclosed standard forms have been prepared. They must be executed in triplicate, two copies for this HQ which must be submitted by the 15th of each month, and one for the provincial A.M.G. Supply Officer.

2. It is obvious that unless the forms are carefully and accurately prepared, and submitted on time, it will be impossible to obtain necessary imports or to effect fair distribution among the Provinces.

3. In accordance with the directive of the R.C.A.O. that so far as possible civilians should be given more and more of the responsibility hitherto borne by A.M.G., the attached forms are to be prepared by Italian officials chosen for the purpose, and the allotment and delivery of the products available to the provinces will be carried out by them. The function of the Provincial A.M.G. Supply Officer will be to check, countersign and forward the forms and to check the distribution of the fuels when they arrive. The primary responsibility will be upon the Italian officials, who have been appointed by, and have received instructions from their superiors, in the case of petroleum from the A.G.I.P. (Azienda Generale Italiana Petroli) head for Sicily, and in the case of coal from Giacomo Sinagra & Figli, Palermo. The names of these provincial directors appear on the forms.

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6. Lt. Di Loreto of this Headquarters will visit your Supply Officer for the purpose of explaining and assisting with these forms, etc.

By order of Lt. Col. ROBERT.

A.S. ALEXANDER,
Major, A.I.,
Asst. Chief, Economics
& Supply Division.

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SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 16

SUBJECT : Care of Displaced Persons.

TO : SCAO's and Public Welfare Officers.

1. Pending the development of facilities for removing displaced persons to their place of residence it is the responsibility of Communal Assistance agencies to provide relief in accordance with policies set out in Administrative Instruction No. 6, in the commune where they are living regardless of legal residence.

2. Arrangements for removing displaced persons to locations outside of Sicily are being developed by the Displaced Persons Sub-Committee of the Allied Control Commission. Pending completion of these arrangements information on persons wishing to leave Sicily will be submitted to this Headquarters for transmittal to Displaced Persons Sub-Committee of ACC on the "Registration Form of those bombed out of their homes and the Refugees that want to be Repatriated", previously issued by AMGOT Hq.

3. Few cities have been able to provide adequate living quarters even for their present populations. Although housing reconstruction has commenced, people should be discouraged from giving up present shelter until they are sure of living space in their home cities or communes.

4. When and if transportation is available to civilians, communal assistance agencies are authorized to provide transportation for destitute Sicilians to their homes or to other places in Sicily where satisfactory living arrangements can be made. Transportation grants may also include a nominal allowance for food in transit.

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By order of Lt. Colonel Charles POLETTI:

DISTRIBUTION:

"A"

4-each SCAO

10-AMG Hq

30-Regional Welfare Sec.

R.P. DRAKE

Major

Regional Welfare Officer.

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLIATO
Quartiere Generale Regionale della
Sicilia

ISTRUZIONE AMMINISTRATIVA NO. 25

Oggetto: Direttive e procedimenti per l'Assistenza Infantile.

Agli : SOAO ed a tutti gli Ufficiali dell'Assistenza Sociale.
1°- Osservare

a) Gli scopi principali del programma dell'Assistenza Provvisoria Infantile sono stati esposti nell'appendice No. 1 dell'ordine No. 6, pubblicato il 1° novembre 1943 dai Quartieri Generali della Regione di Sicilia.

Lo scopo della presente istruzione No. 25 è in primo luogo di stabilire alcuni provvedimenti e norme validi per tutta la Regione; in secondo luogo di suggerire alcuni procedimenti destinati ad agevolare le Divioni dell'Assistenza Infantile nell'adempimento dei loro compiti, a qual fine si allega una traduzione italiana.

b) Il direttore provinciale dell'Assistenza infantile deve avere piena conoscenza di tutti gli Istituti e gli Uffici di assistenza infantile della Provincia e deve controllarli in conformità alle norme seguenti ed a quelle che dovranno essere ulteriormente emanate.

11°- Direttive

a) Tutti i bambini allentati dalle loro case per abbandono, diligenza, ovvero non idonee condizioni domestiche devono essere ricoverati ed assistiti in istituti adatti allo scopo. La cura e l'assistenza devono corrispondere per quanto è possibile ai bisogni di ciascun bambino o devono tendere ad aiutarlo a diventare socialmente utile ed indipendente.

b) Per gli Istituti per bambini che richiedono fondi pubblici l'Ufficio provinciale di assistenza sociale deve attestare che essi si attengono alla retta minima stabilita dal Direttore dell'Assistenza infantile. Soltanto allora potranno usufruire di fondi pubblici. Essi continueranno a percepire tali fondi, soltanto se il Direttore dell'Assistenza infantile direttamente ovvero per mezzo del suo personale ispettivo certifica che gli Istituti stessi continuano ad attenersi alla retta minima collaborando alla ammissione dei bambini e presentando tutti i documenti richiesti dal Direttore dell'Assistenza infantile.

c) Fondi provinciali saranno concessi agli Istituti summenzionati soltanto come contributo integrativo delle altre entrate. L'ammontare

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b) Il Direttore provinciale dell'Assistenza Infantile deve avere piena competenza di tutti gli Istituti e gli Uffici di assistenza infantile della Provincia e deve controllarli in conformità alla norme seguenti ed a quelle che dovranno essere ulteriormente emanate.

11°m. - *Dispositive*

a) Tutti i bambini allontanati dalle loro case per abbandono, delinquenza, ovvero per altre condizioni domestiche devono essere ricoverati ed assistiti in istituti adatti allo scopo. La cura o l'assistenza devono corrispondere per quanto è possibile ai bisogni di ciascun bambino o devono tendere ad aiutarlo a diventare socialmente utile ed indipendente.

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c) Fondi provinciali saranno concessi agli Istituti summozionati soltanto come contributo integrativo dello altre entrate. L'entrate del contributo, come regola, dipenderà dal costo giornaliero del mantenimento dei bambini o diminuirà a mano a mano che le fonti delle entrate precedenti tenderanno ad essere attive. Ogni Ufficio provinciale di assistenza sociale stabilirà a mezzo di accordi presi con i gestori di tutti dei singoli Istituti, la retta giornaliera per i bambini, che non per nessuna ragione deve superare lire 15 a persona.

d) Concessioni per la ricostruzione e la riparazione di Istituti che del punto di vista dell'assistenza ai bambini risultano necessari saranno considerati come spese di emergenza per l'assistenza infantile, e perciò non dovranno essere comprese nella retta giornaliera.

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e) Qualunque situazione che non possa essere regolata in conformità alle presenti direttive, dovrà essere immediatamente riferita all'Ufficio Regionale dell'Assistenza Sociale, per l'esame e la decisione.

III. - Esigono per l'organizzazione igienica. =

Si propongono le seguenti direttive per stabilire il minimo delle esigenze da parte delle divisioni provinciali dell'Assistenza infantile evidentemente nell'applicazione di norme emanate in questo momento, bisognerà tener conto di elementi come i dati di guerra, la possibilità di procurare materiali ed altre circostanze analoghe.

Ma per quanto è possibile, gli Istituti dovranno provvedere:

a) per dormitori con sufficiente luce, aria, spazio, e separazione secondo l'età e il sesso.

b) per organizzare adeguatamente le scuole se non ne esistono all'esito.

c) per organizzare ricreazioni all'interno oppure all'esterno.

d) per cessi adeguati, lavanderia ed altri impianti sanitari.

e) per organizzare un ufficio destinato a trattare questioni amministrative e mediante colloqui personali con i bambini, i genitori e parenti ed altri visitatori.

f) per organizzare adeguatamente l'alimentazione, la conversazione, la preparazione e la distribuzione delle cibarie.

g) per organizzare l'isolamento dei bambini malati, specializzato di quelli affetti da malattie contagiose.

h) per una o più sale riservate alla visita medica.

i) per curare i bambini in piccoli ambienti isolati, perché la media di mortalità dei bambini curati in tali ambienti è generalmente minore di quella dei bambini curati in ambienti aperti.

IV. - Trattamenti dei bambini assistiti. =

a) Il soggiorno di un bambino in un Istituto o in qualsiasi altra organizzazione deve essere considerato come una sostituzione della normale vita in famiglia, perciò gli istituti per quanto è possibile devono procurare quegli elementi di tutela, affetto, rispetto e opportunità dei quali un bambino gode in un sano ambiente familiare. Un bambino ha bisogno di contatto con sane personalità adulte per il suo migliore sviluppo. In condizioni normali i genitori sono gli adulti che esercitano la massima influenza sulla sua vita. Tolto dalla sua dimora naturale, gli adulti che possono influire di più su lui sono quelli che dirigono la sua attività quotidiana nell'Istituto.

Perciò ogni direttore dell'assistenza infantile deve conoscere lo spirito della vita in comune di ogni singolo Istituto della rispettiva Provincia.

b) Vi sono almeno tre punti elementari di trattamento che bisogna tener presente:

1° - Dal punto di vista igienico bisogna eseguire un adeguato programma di controllo e di assistenza medica per allontanare malattie e porre le basi per una buona salute. Si faranno periodicamente visite

mediche e di igiene, e si dovranno avere

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- c) per organizzare ricreazioni nell'interno oppure all'esterno.

- d) per cessi adeguati, lavanderia ed altri impianti sanitari.

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- f) per organizzare adeguatamente l'alloggio, provveduto, la conversione, la preparazione e la distribuzione della cibaria.

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2° - Dal punto di vista dell'educazione i bambini dovranno avere la possibilità di istruzione anche religiosa che hanno i bambini di età corrispondente, abitanti dello stesso comune. Bisogna interessarsi specialmente per l'insegnamento di qualche mestiere redditizio.

3° - Dal punto di vista ricreativo si deve eseguire un programma che permetta un gioco spontaneo, libero ed insegnare ai bambini come possono agire in modo armonioso insieme con i loro compagni.

V° = Licenziamento =

a) Il licenziamento deve avvenire quando lo sviluppo del bambino

mostra che egli è 'returo, quando i genitori o i parenti sono pronti a riceverlo in un ambiente domestico normale, o quando la sua preparazione alla vita sociale è completata. Quando un giovane viene rilasciato, dalla sua carta individuale deve risultare la ragione del licenziamento, sia che egli abbia raggiunto il limite di età' prescritta per la permanenza nell'istituto che lo rilascia libero, sia che la sua famiglia si sia ricostituita, oppure stia per ricostituirsi, sia che possa reintegrarsi da sé e vi sia lavoro per lui.

b) Se bisognerà assistere in un altro istituto anche questo dovrà risultare dalla sua carta individuale e si dovrà provvedere a tale assistenza.

VI - Personale per l'assistenza provinciale infantile.

È indispensabile che il Direttore dell'assistenza infantile abbia un personale specializzato che, alla sua dipendenza, deve studiare i programmi degli Istituti, eseguire accertamenti intorno alla situazione familiare dei bambini proposti per l'assistenza in Istituto, dare consigli circa il collocamento di bambini da Istituti, ed occuparsi dei rapporti con i Tribunali per quanto riguarda i delinquenti minorati.

VII - Registro provinciale controllo

a) Il Direttore dell'assistenza infantile istituirà e manterrà in efficienza un Ufficio Centrale di registrazione di tutti gli Istituti ed Uffici della Provincia e di tutti i bambini ivi collocati.

b) Per fare il registro delle organizzazioni e delle istituzioni si adopererà il modulo N° R.W.1. Tale modulo dovrà costituire la base per le ispezioni future con aggiunta di ulteriori notizie seguate periodicamente.

c) Per compilare il registro dei bambini già assistiti o che dovranno essere assistiti in seguito, bisognerà avere almeno le seguenti indicazioni:

- 1 - Nome del bambino
- 2 - " dei genitori ed indirizzo
- 3 - Orfano, illegittimo, delinquente
- 4 - Data di nascita
- 5 - Età della data della ammissione
- 6 - Brevi cenni sullo stato di salute, sociale ed altri rilievi al momento dell'ammissione.

Nella registrazione si deve lasciare lo spazio per ulteriori informazioni intorno allo sviluppo del bambino assistito e per indicare in fine la ragione del licenziamento.

Bisogna rilevare che lo scopo principale del registro centrale dei bambini e degli Istituti è di ottenere la migliore assistenza possibile per il bambino in considerazione dello suo particolari esigenze e dello facilitazioni che per lui si possono ottenere.

Pertanto l'assiduo esame del registro deve fornire informazioni che indirizzando l'ammissione dei bambini, eliminano la istituzione di più conveniente, con scopi identici ed assicurano la completa utilizzazione.

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l) Se bisognerà assisterlo in un altro istituto anche questo dovrà risultare dalla sua carta individuale e si dovrà provvedere a tale espletamento.

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a) Il Direttore dell'assistenza infantile istituire e mantenere la efficienza un Ufficio Centrale di registrazione di tutti gli Istituti ed Uffici della Provincia e di tutti i bambini ivi collocati.

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VIII - Accertamenti prima del collocamento.

a) Per stabilire esattamente il collocamento più adatto per il bambino, bisognerà eseguire un accertamento preventivo. Nella carta ta' dei casi il bambino rimarca' dove si trova fin tanto che tale accertamento sarà completato.

In casi eccezionali dovrà essere affidato temporaneamente ad una famiglia, oppure in uno Istituto tipo centro di ricezione fino al completamento dell' accertamento.

b) L' accertamento che precede il collocamento dovrà comprendere quanto segue:

1) Un esame medico generale eseguito preferibilmente da un pediatra (quando si tratta di bambini piccoli)

Quando il medico lo giudichi necessario e sia possibile ricorrere ad uno specialista, sarà eseguito anche un esame psichiatrico.

2) Un accertamento sociale. Questo deve essere eseguito con la massima delicatezza del funzionario della Divisione dell' Assistenza dei bambini. Le informazioni dovranno essere raccolte presso i parenti dei bambini, i funzionari dell' Assistenza pubblica locale, il parroco, le scuole ed altri elementi locali responsabili.

Bisogna prendere nota dell' esito delle informazioni e se si è contestato che il genitore oppure i parenti non possono assistere dovutamente il bambino, bisognerà indicare chiaramente nel registro le ragioni del suo internamento in un Istituto e mandare all' Istituto un estratto del registro stesso.

1° Accertamenti per i Tribunali per minorenni

a) I funzionari dell' Ufficio Assistenza Infantile eseguiranno speciali accertamenti nei casi di delinquenti minorenni e faranno pervenire i loro rapporti ai Tribunali per essere tenuti presenti nelle decisioni. I detti funzionari saranno anche responsabili dell' assistenza al minorenne per la sua riabilitazione sociale nei casi in cui il Tribunale avrà deciso che il minorenne possa essere lasciato in prova.

Visite mensili in casa, colloqui col maestro di scuola e col parroco sono importanti. Sul progresso del minorenne devono essere compilati rapporti mensili ed il funzionario che segue il minorenne in prova deve controllare, assisterlo e guidarlo in modo da distogliarlo da ulteriore attività criminale. Se il minorenne non dovesse ravvedersi, il funzionario addetto alla prova deve procurare dal Tribunale un' altra istruttoria per un nuovo provvedimento per il provvedimento del minorenne.

PER ORDINE DEL TENENTE COLONNELLO PORTATI:

R. P. DRAKE,

Maggiore,

Ufficiale Regionale di

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Bisognerà prendere nota dell'esito delle informazioni e se si è contestato che il genitore oppure i parenti non possono assistere convenientemente il bambino, bisognerà indicare chiaramente nel registro le ragioni del suo internamento in un Istituto e mandare all'Istituto un estratto del registro stesso.

IX° Accertamenti per i Tribunali per minorenni

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PER ORDINE DEL TENENTE COLONNELLO POZZETTI:

R. P. DRAKE,
Maggiore.
Ufficiale Regionale di
Assistenza

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Form R. W. - 1

ISTITUTI PER BAMBINI.

Al Direttore, si prega compilare e restituire.

- 1.- Nome dell'Istituto.....
- 2.- Indirizzo
- 3.- Numero dei bambini ricoverati attualmente.....
- 4.- Possibilità massima di accoglimento.....
 No. dei letti disponibili..... Acqua..... Luci.....
- 5.- Stato in cui trovass il fabbricato.....
- 6.- Con quali fondi viene mantenuto l'Istituto: con fondi di religione
 da privati o con fondi pubblici.....
 Se con fondi, da quale ufficio Governativo o quali somme sono
 state ricevute da Giugno 30, 1942 al 30 Giugno 1943.....
- 7.- Fondi attualmente disponibili.....
 Presso quali banche.....
 Quali fanciulli vengono ammessi (orfani, illegittimi, delinquenti)

 8.- Età di ammissione.....
- 10.- Età di congedamento.....
- 11.- Fanciulli e fanciulle..... 10. per ciascuno.....
- 12.- Vengono ammessi i fanciulli provenienti da tutta l'Isola o sola-
 mente quelli di una data località'.....
- 13.- Tipo di avviamento educativo (culturale, ricreativo ed insegna-
 mento di arte e mestieri)

 14.- Quali cure mediche siano a disposizione dell'Istituto;
 Descrizioni.....
- 15.- Nome del Direttore.....
- 16.- Osservazioni.....

- 4.- Possibilità massima di accoglimento.....
- 5.- Stato in cui trovasi il fabbricato.....
- 6.- Con quali fondi viene mantenuto l'Istituto: con fondi di religione da privati o con fondi pubblici.....
- 7.- Fondi attualmente disponibili.....
- 8.- Quali fasciulli vengono ammessi (orfani, illegittimi, delinquenti).....
- 9.- Eta' di ammissione.....
- 10.- Eta' di congedamento.....
- 11.- Fasciulli e fasciulle.....
- 12.- Vengono ammessi i fasciulli provenienti da tutta l'Isola o solamente quelli da una data località.....
- 13.- Tipo di avviamento educativo (culturale, ricreativo od insegnamento di arte e mestieri).....
- 14.- Quali cure mediche siano a disposizione dell'Istituto; Descrizione.....
- 15.- Nota del Direttore.....
- 16.- Osservazioni.....

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS

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OFFICIAL LETTER

MC 12:

I, CM RICE TOTTILL, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs
Office for Sicily, Order that,

Article No. 1, Paragraph 3 of Regional Order No. 13,
is replaced to read "Delivery must be effected between the 3th and
31st of November 1943."

CM RICE TOTTILL
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Office

1. CH RIES EIGHT, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs
Office for Sicily, Order that,

Article No. 1, Paragraph 3 of Regional Order No. 13,
is amended to read: "Delivery must be effected between the 1st and
30th of November 1943."

CH RIES EIGHT
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Office

GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
Quartiere Generale Regionale
della Sicilia

23/11/43.

UFFICIO UFFICIALE:

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1°, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale
Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia, in virtù dei poteri conferi-

ORDINO

L'Articolo No. 1, Paragraph 3 dell'Ordine No. 13 di
L'Articolo Generale e modificato nel modo seguente:
"L'Articolo Nove essere effettuata fra l'8 ed il 30 Novembre 1943."

CHARLES POLETTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della
Sicilia

1^o, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia, in virtù dei poteri conferiti,

ORDINO

L'Articolo No. 1, Paragraph 3 dell'Ordine No. 13 di
 "L'Aviazione Generale e modificato nel modo seguente:
 "L'Aviazione deve essere effettuata fra l'8 ed il 30 Novembre 1943."

CHARLES POLETTI
 Tenente Colonnello
 Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della
 Sicilia

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS

ORDER NO. 11

I, Lt. Colonel Charles Polatti, Regional Civil Affairs Officer for Sicily, having heard the views of all the Profects of Sicily, and with the object of assuring a more uniform distribution of wheat in Sicily, especially in regard to the needs of deficiency provinces, also due to the war,

ARTICLE 1

1. That for each member of the family, and for those employed or dependent upon direct producer
 - a. direct producers will deliver to the amount 50 kilograms of wheat per person.
 - b. Any other person in possession of a milling permit and who is not a direct producer, 30 kilograms of wheat per person.
2. The price of the wheat so delivered is Lire 500 per quintal.
3. Delivery must be effected the 8th and 20th November 1943.
4. To enable the wheat to be ground, the grinding permit must be stamped by the issuing office certifying that wheat has been actually delivered to the amount.
5. As from 8th November 1943, all flour mills, including "third party" (conto terzi) mills are prohibited from grinding wheat except on presentation of the duly stamped permit as above.
6. Profects only have the power to order the opening or closing of individual mills, in each province and will assume the responsibility for those which remain open.
7. By 15th December next, wheat growers must deliver to the amount any surplus grain retained for seed, at the price of Lire 500 per quintal.
8. Those who have violated the provisions of General Order no. 3, Art. II of the Allied Military Government, dated August 1943, will be punished by the confiscation of the wheat not delivered to the amount before 1st November 1943.
9. Those who violate this order will be punished according to law and will have confiscated the wheat not delivered herewith.

10. The provision of Art.1,2,3,and 4 hereof do not apply to Reggio Province which has already carried them out.

ARTICLE II

1. The maximum ration of bread will be uniform in all Sicily in the amount of 200 grams per day per person as from 8th November 1943.

/s/ CHARLES POLETTI
CHARLES POLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILIAN REGION HEADQUARTERS
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OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO 22:

20/11/43

In view of the difficulty in maintaining the existing legal rations of bread in many parts of Sicily, I, CHARLES POINTU, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O P E R

1. That hotels, restaurants and other places providing meals for the public, are prohibited from selling or supplying bread, as part of a meal, or otherwise, except on presentation by the client of his regular bread ration coupons.
2. It is also prohibited for hotels, restaurants, and other places which provide meals for the public to serve paste in any form whatsoever.
3. That no person shall make for sale, or sell, cakes, pastries, cookies, or any other similar form of food containing wheat flour.

This order becomes effective 20 November 1943.

Charles Pointu
CHARLES POINTU
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

DISTRIBUTION:

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Spares 35
Sicilia Liberata

Q R D E R

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3. That no person shall make for sale, or sell, cakes, pastries, cookies, or any other similar form of food containing wheat flour.

This order becomes effective 28 November 1943.

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CHARLES POMERAI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
Quartiere Generale Regionale
della Sicilia

20/11/43

ORDINE UFFICIALE:

NO. 28:

In vista delle difficoltà di mantenere l'attuale razione del pane legalmente concessa nei vari paesi della Sicilia, Io, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia

ORDINE

1. E' vietato agli alberghi, ristoranti, trattorie ed altri locali che somministrano pasti al pubblico di vendere o fornire pane in qualsiasi forma, senza la presentazione da parte del cliente della sua tessera del pane dalla quale si staccherà il tagliando.
2. E' vietato pure agli alberghi, ristoranti, ed altri locali che somministrano vivande al pubblico di servire pasta sotto qualsiasi forma.
3. Nessuna persona potrà preparare per la vendita o vendere, pasticceria in genere quali torte, paste, biscotti o pizzerie confezionati con farina di frumento.

Questo Ordine entrerà in vigore il 28 Novembre 1943.

Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
della Sicilia

DISTRIBUZIONE:

E
Spares 35
Sicilia Liberata

In vista delle difficoltà di mantenere l'attuale razione del pane legalmente concessa nei vari paesi della Sicilia, io, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia

CR D I N O

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Quest'Ordine entrerà in vigore il 28 Novembre 1943.

Charles Polletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
della Sicilia

DISTRIBUTION:

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Spares 35
Sicilia Libera

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SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
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20/11/42

OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO. 30.

DIRECT EXAMINATION

Prorogation of the terms fixed for presentation of appeals
by taxpayers

In consideration that, owing to the recent occupation of Sicily by Allied troops, it was not possible for the great part of the taxpayers to observe the terms fixed by various Italian Laws and Decrees for the presentation of the prescribed appeals, it is necessary to accord a proroga.

In virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLEMITI, Lt. Colonel,
Regional Civil Affairs Officer,

ORDER

1. That terms applicable as undetermined be extended to 31st December 1943:
4. For the presentation of appeals for relief from taxation on part of
untenanted estate.
3. For presentation of appeals for extraordinary revision of income for
R.L. category B to C. Definitive tax, also subscriptions for payment
of various trading tax, and commercial tax on industries, commerce, arts
and professions.
6. For presentation of appeals for relief, according to the R.L. law dated
12 April 1942 No. 242, of tax on rents, carts, vehicles, automobiles,
bicycles, and coffee machines, also R.L. in cases where all activities
ceased, and for verification of damage or loss, for presentation of
appeals in these cases.
2. This order shall be applied throughout the territory of Sicily.

CHARLES POLEMITI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

DIRECTOR GENERAL

presentation of the terms fixed for presentation of appeals
by taxpayers

In consideration that, owing to the recent occupation of Sicily by Allied troops, it was not possible for the great part of the taxpayers to observe the terms fixed by various Italian laws and decrees for the presentation of the prescribed appeals, it is necessary to accord a privilege.

In virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLICELLI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer,

ORDER

1. That terms applicable as undenoted be extended to 21st December 1943:
4. for the presentation of appeals for relief from taxation on partly untenanted estate.
5. for presentation of appeals for extraordinary revision of income for R.A. category B 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.
2. This order shall be applied throughout the territory of Sicily.

CHARLES POLICELLI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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COMANDO MILITARE ALFANO
QUARTIERE GENERALE REGIONALE DELLA SICILIA

20/11/43

ORDINE GONZALEZ:
No. 32:

IMPOSTE DIRETTE

PROLUNGAMENTO DEI TERMINI FISSATI PER LA PRESENTAZIONE
DELLE DOMANDE DA PARTE DEI CONTRIBUENTI

Considerato che, per la sopraggiunta occupazione della Sicilia da parte delle truppe dei Governi Alleati, non e' stato possibile ad una gran parte dei contribuenti di osservare i termini fissati secondo le vigenti leggi per la presentazione delle prescritte domande e quindi necessario accordare una proroga.

Io, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili per la Sicilia.

ORDINE

1. Sono estesi al 31 Dicembre 1943 i termini applicabili ai sotto elencati:
 - A. Per la presentazione delle domande di sgravio a titolo di affitto paraviale;
 - B. Per la presentazione delle domande dirette ad ottenere la revisione straordinaria dei redditi di R.M. Categoria B e C, dell'imposta sul patrimonio, nonché degli abbonamenti per pagamento dell'imposta generale sull'entrata, dell'imposta Comunale sulle industrie, commerci, arti e professioni;
 - C. Per la presentazione delle domande dirette ad ottenere lo sgravio previsto dal R.D. Legge 12 Aprile 1943 - No. 243, della imposta sul valore locativo, su carri, vetture, pianoforti, biliardi, macchine per caffè espresso e disegno, nonché per l'imposta di R.M. per esercizi che cessarono ogni attività; e dal verificarsi del sinistro, per la presentazione delle domande in questi casi.
2. Quest'ordine deve essere applicato in tutto il territorio della Sicilia.

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CHARLES POLETTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili

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Charles Pointti

CHARLES POINTTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili

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ALLIED MILITARY ADVANCEMENT
Sicily Region Headquarters
ARO 512

26/11/43

CO. POLAR 54:
37:

In view of the necessity of establishing a centralized organization
of the United Provinces in 1943 in Sicily Region, I, Lt. Colonel
Charles Polaris:

O R D E R

1. That Lt. Colonel Girlanda Garuso, Director of the United Provinces
of the United Provinces, is appointed Chief Inspector for the services of
the United Provinces (Group VI Group A) effective November 1, 1943.
He will at the same time continue to hold his present post.
2. All United Provinces of 1943 in Sicily will carry out such
orders as may be issued by the Chief Inspector for the services of the
United Provinces with the approval of the Regional Headquarters, 11/11/43.

Charles Polaris

CHARLES POLARIS
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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1. Indemnity of 100,000
Director of the United Provinces
Financial Division 20
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In view of the necessity of establishing a centralized supervision
of the United Provinciali d.l. in Sicily Region, I, Lt. Colonel
Charles Politti:

C R D I R

1. That Det. Circolo Garuso, Director dell' Ufficio Provinciale,
d.l. in Sicily, is appointed Chief Inspector for the services of
the Province of Sicily (grad VI Group A) effective November 1, 1944.
He will at the same time continue to hold his present post.

2. All Ufficio Provinciale d.l. in Sicily will carry out such
orders as may be issued by the Chief Inspector for the services of the
Province of Sicily with the approval of Sicily Region Headquarters, Allied
Military Command.

Charles Politti

CHARLES POLITTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
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1/12/43

OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO. 39.

Considering the opportunity to abolish in Sicily all the Fascist Cultural Organizations and in particular the "Istituto Nazionale di Cultura Fascista";

Considering the necessity to abolish the Organization of the "Unione Nazionale Iniziativa Antifascista", the "Ente Nazionale delle Cooperazioni" the "Unione Fascista fra le Famiglie Anziane" and the "Ufficio Provinciale di Collocamento";

Following the provisions contained in Proclamation No. 7 and in General Order No. 8;

In virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES COLTIER, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O R D E R

- ART. 1) L'Istituto Nazionale di Cultura Fascista
L'Unione Nazionale Protezione Antifascista
L'Ente Nazionale delle Cooperazioni
Unione Fascista fra le Famiglie Anziane
L'Ufficio Prov. di Collocamento Lavoratori Industriali
L'Ufficio Prov. di Collocamento Lavoratori Agricoli
L'Ufficio Prov. di Collocamento Lavoratori Commerciali

including all subdivisions, agencies, and any other offices under them are hereby abolished.

ART. 2) All the Directors or anyone representing the organization and individuals mentioned by Art. 1 and also all the directors of all organizations previously dissolved by Proclamation No. 7 and by General Order No. 8 including by Syndicates and any other subdivisions, agencies or other offices, must send immediately to the Finance Office of the Allied Military Government, existing in the Province in which each such organization or branch thereof is located complete records in which are shown all the assets and liabilities of the organization or branch made up to the date of dissolution.

ART. 3) Mr. Nicolo Griscuoli, Judge of the Tribunale of Palermo is hereby nominated "Commissario Straordinario" for Sicily for the purpose of liquidation of all the organizations or branches mentioned.

ART. 4) The "Commissario straordinario" in carrying out liquidation of the assets and organizations above mentioned will be under the control of the Controller of Property.

ART. 5) In each province of Sicily other than the Province of Palermo, one Sub-Commissioner will be appointed by the Allied Military Government, to co-operate with the Commissario Straordinario in the liquidation of all such organizations or branches having assets in the province of such Sub-Commissioner.

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Cultural Organizations and in article 10 the "Istituto Nazionale di Cultura Fascista";

Considering the necessity to abolish the Organization of the "Unione Nazionale Fascista Antisemite", the "Unione Nazionale della Cooperazione" the "Unione Nazionale per la Famiglia Numerosa" and the "Ufficio Provinciale di Collocamento";

Following the provisions contained in Proclamation No. 7 and in General Order No. 1;

In virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLETTI, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O R D E R

- ART. 1) L'istituto Nazionale di Cultura Fascista
Unione Nazionale Protezione Antisemite
Unione Nazionale della Cooperazione
Unione Fascista per la Famiglia Numerosa
Ufficio Prov. di Collocamento Lavoratori Industriali
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ART. 3) Mr. Nicolo' Criscuolo, Judge of the Tribunale of Palermo is hereby nominated "Commissario Straordinario" for Sicily for the purpose of liquidation of all the organizations or branches above mentioned.

ART. 4) The "Commissario Straordinario" in carrying out liquidation of the mentioned organizations above mentioned will be under the control of the Controller of Property.

ART. 5) In each province of Sicily other than the Province of Palermo, one Sub-Commissioner will be appointed by the Allied Military Government, to coordinate with the Commissario Straordinario in the liquidation of all such organizations or branches having assets in the province of such Sub-Commissioner.

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Quartiere Generale Regionale della Sicilia

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OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO. 39:

Considerata la opportunità di abolire nella Sicilia tutte le organizzazioni culturali fasciste ed in particolare l'Istituto Nazionale di Cultura Fascista.

Ritenuto necessario abolire l'Organizzazione dell'Unione Nazionale Protezione Antiaerea, l'Ente Nazionale della Cooperazione, l'Unione Fascista Famiglie Numerose e gli Uffici Provinciali di Collocamento.

Facendo seguito alle disposizioni di cui al Proclama N.7 ed all'Ordine Generale N.8

Io, CHARLES FOLETTI, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia, in virtù dei poteri conferitimi

C R D I N O

Art. 1 L'Istituto Nazionale di Cultura Fascista
L'Unione Nazionale Protezione Antiaerea
L'Ente Nazionale della Cooperazione
L'Unione Fascista fra le Famiglie Numerose
L'Ufficio Prov. di Collocamento Lavoratori Industria
L'Ufficio Prov. di Collocamento Lavoratori Agricoltura
L'Ufficio Prov. di Collocamento Lavoratori Commercio
comprese le relative sezioni, reparti o qualunque altro ufficio da essi dipendente, sono aboliti.

Art. 2 Tutti i dirigenti o chi ne fa le veci delle organizzazioni ed enti di cui all'art.1 ed inoltre tutti i dirigenti o chi ne fa le veci degli enti ed organizzazioni già sciolti in seguito al Proclama N.7 ed all'Ordine Generale N.8, compresi i relativi sindacati e qualsiasi altra sezione o reparto o ufficio dipendente da essi, sono tenuti ad inviare immediatamente all'Ufficio Finanziario, presso l'Ufficio degli Affari Civili del Governo Militare Alleato, esistenti nella provincia dalla quale dette Organizzazioni dipendono, una completa documentazione dalla quale risultino tutte le attività e passività della organizzazione sino alla data in cui questa venne sciolta.

Art. 3 Il signor Vincenzo Criscuoli, Giudice del Tribunale di Palermo, con il presente ordine viene nominato Commissario Straordinario per la Sicilia con l'incarico di curare la gestione di liquidazione di tutte le organizzazioni ed enti citati come sopra.

le organizzazioni culturali fasciste ed in particolare l'Istituto Nazionale di Cultura Fascista.

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Facendo seguito alle disposizioni di cui al Proclama N.7 ed all'Ordine Generale N.8

Io, CHARLES POLITTI, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia, in virtù dei poteri conferitimi

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Art. 4 Il Commissario Straordinario nel controllare e sovraintendere alla liquidazione degli enti ed organizzazioni sopra citati avrà la autorità e le facoltà che gli saranno conferite dal Controllore Beni.

Art. 5 Il Commissario Straordinario dovrà inoltre provvedere alla nomina, previa autorizzazione del Governo Militare Alleato,

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di altri membri quali suoi coadiutori per la liquidazione di dette
organizzazioni nelle altre provincie dell'isola, nominando un
membro per ciascuna provincia, ad eccezione di quella di Palermo.

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AGENZIA REGIONALE:
14:

ISTITUZIONE DELL'UNIONE DELLE CAMERE DI COMMERCIO INDUSTRIA ED AGRICOLTURA DELLA SICILIA

Vista la propria ordinanza in data odierna con la quale si provvede alla costituzione delle Camere di Commercio, Industria e Agricoltura della Sicilia;

Considerata la opportunità di coordinare l'attività delle singole Camere siciliane al fine di rappresentare totalitariamente gli interessi della intera Regione;

In virtù dei poteri conferiti, io, GIULIO POLITTI, Tenente Colonnello,
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia

C R D I N O

Art. 1) E' istituita la Unione delle Camere di Commercio, Industria ed Agricoltura della Sicilia, essa avrà sede in Palermo;

Art. 2) La Unione delle Camere Siciliane e' ente pubblico che ha lo scopo di rappresentare, coordinare tuttora gli interessi economici del commercio dell'industria, dell'artigianato e dell'agricoltura dell'intera Regione, di assicurarne e promuoverne lo sviluppo, nel quadro dell'economia nazionale.

Passa e' inoltre ognuno consultivo dell'amministrazione dello Stato per tutte le questioni comunque riflettenti il commercio, l'industria, l'artigianato e l'agricoltura.

Art. 3) Sono Organi dell'Unione il Comitato Permanente di Presidenza e la Giunta Generale delle Camere Siciliane.

Il primo e' composto da tutti i Presidenti delle Camere Siciliane ed e' presieduto dal Presidente della di Commercio, Industria e Agricoltura di Palermo;
Il secondo e' l'organo esecutivo dell'Unione e che in seno alla Giunta Generale assiste il Presidente.

La Giunta Generale e' formata dal complesso delle singole Giunte camerali, e il suo Presidente viene eletto per ogni sessione da tutti i componenti la Giunta.

I membri del Comitato Permanente di Presidenza non possono essere eletti Presidenti della Giunta Generale.

Art. 4) Saranno emanate, con separato provvedimento, norma provvisoria per l'esecuzione della presente ordinanza. Il regolamento generale definitivo sara' fissato dalla Unione in armonia alle disposizioni che regolano le Camere e alla presente ordinanza. Il regolamento definitivo dovra' ricevere l'approvazione del Governo.

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In virtù dei poteri conferiti, io, GIULIO POLITTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia

C R D I M O

Art. 1) 1) Le attività della Unione delle Camere di Commercio, Industria ed Agricoltura della Sicilia, sono svolte sede in Palermo;

Art. 2) La Unione delle Camere Siciliane e' ente pubblico che ha lo scopo di rappresentare, coordinare e tutelare gli interessi economici del commercio dell'industria, dell'artigianato e dell'agricoltura dell'intera Regione, di assicurarne lo sviluppo, nel quadro dell'economia nazionale.

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OFFICIAL ORDER:
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In view of the order of the same date by which is established the constitution of the Chambers of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture of Sicily:

In view of the necessity for coordinating the activities of each Chamber for the purpose of representing in full the interests of the entire Region:

By virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES
MARTIN, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

C R D E R

Art. 1) There is instituted the Union of the Chambers of Commerce, Industry, and Agriculture of Sicily, which will have its headquarters in Palermo.

Art. 2) The Union (of the Sicilian Chambers) is a public agency which has the function of representing, coordinating and guarding the economic interests of the commerce, industry, labor and agriculture of the entire Region, and assuring and promoting its development in the field of national economy.

Furthermore it is a consultant agency of the administration of the State for all questions concerning commerce, industry, labor and agriculture.

Art. 3) The organs of the Union are the Permanent Committee of the Presidents, and the General Council of the Sicilian Chambers.

The first is composed of all the Presidents of the Sicilian Chambers and is headed by the President of the Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture of Palermo; it is an executive organ of the Union which with the General Council assists the President.

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By virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLIGNI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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The General Council is formed by the joint Councils of the Chambers and its president is elected on every session by all the members of the Council.

The members of the Permanent President's Committee cannot be elected Presidents of the General Council.

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Art. 4) A separate order will be issued giving the temporary rules for the execution of the present order. The general rules will be fixed by the same Union in accordance with the orders of the Chambers, and the present order. Such regulations must be approved by the Government.

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ARTICLE 10. THE UNION OF THE CHAMBERS OF THE COMMERCE, CHAMBERS OF THE UNION OF THE CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE, CHAMBERS AND ASSOCIATIONS OF SOCIETY

ART. I

The offices of the Union will be located at the Chamber of Palermo which will temporarily furnish the necessary personnel to carry on the work until the Union believes it necessary to have a personnel of its own.

Each Chamber will contribute proportionally to the expenses of the administration.

ART. II

The Committee of Presidents will hold its meetings at the headquarters of the Union.

ART. III

The President of the Committee will function as General Secretary for the Giunta Generale.

ART. IV

For the functions of the Committee and of the General Council the procedure will be the same as that established by the general rules of the respective Chambers for the Giunta and the Consiglio.

ART. V

Until the elections of the Chambers can take place, the organs of the Union will be represented by the Committee of Commissaries.

The Committee of the Commissaries will initiate a preliminary study of the rules of the Union, which must finally be approved by the Giunta Giunta.

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RESOLUTION:

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ALLEGATO AL ORDINE NO. 44

NORME PROVVISORIE PER LA ESECUZIONE DELL'ORDINAMENTO COSTITUZIONALE DELL'UNIONE DELLE CAMERE DI COMMERCIO, INDUSTRIE E AGRICOLTURA DELLA SICILIA.

A R T I

Gli uffici dell'Unione avranno sede presso la Camera di Palermo, la quale, in via provvisoria e fino a tanto che l'Unione stessa non scotirà il bisogno di un organico proprio, fornirà il personale necessario al districto delle pratiche.

Le singole Camere concorreranno proporzionalmente alla spesa di gestione.

A R T II

Il Comitato di Presidenza terrà normalmente le sue riunioni presso la sede dell'Unione.

A R T III

In seno alla Giunta Generale il Presidente del Comitato funzionerà da Segretario Generale.

A R T IV

Per il funzionamento del Comitato e della Giunta Generale valgono le norme stabilite dal Regolamento generale delle Camere rispettivamente per la Giunta ed il Consiglio.

A R T V

Sino a quando non potranno essere indette le elezioni centrali, gli organi dell'Unione saranno rappresentati dal Comitato dei Commissari.

Il Comitato dei Commissari dovrà iniziare uno studio preliminare del Regolamento dell'Unione che dovrà però essere in definitiva approvato dalla Giunta Generale.

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OFFICIAL ORDER:

NO 47:

By virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES FOLATTI, Lt. Colonel,
Regional Civil Affairs Officer,

ORDER

- ART. 1) The Ex-Officers' National Union is continued in all Sicily.
- ART. 2) The Prefects shall appoint a Commissioner extraordinary for each Province with the task of revising the enrolled persons, eliminating those of those of the ordinary I.V.S.N. who were not at the same time officers of the Armed Forces.
- ART. 3) The members of the Directive Council must not have been officers of the ordinary I.V.S.N. nor have held offices in the Fascist National Party.
- ART. 4) As soon as possible there will be an election for the appointment of a regular administration.

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Regional Civil Affairs Officer,

O R D E R

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ORDINE UFFICIALE:

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47:

In virtù dei poteri conferitimi, io, CHARLES POLLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia,

ORDINE

- ART. 1) L'Unione Nazionale Ufficiale in Congedo e' mantenuto in tutta la Sicilia.
- ART. 2) I prefetti nomineranno un Commissario Straordinario per ciascun Provincia con l'incarico di revisionare gli iscritti eliminando gli ufficiali delle U.V.S.M. ordinaria che non siano contemporaneamente ufficiali delle Forze Armate.
- ART. 3) I componenti del Consiglio Direttivo non devono essere stati ufficiali della U.V.S.M. ordinaria ne debbono avere ricoperto cariche in seno al Partito Nazionale Fascista.
- ART. 4) Non appena possibile si procedera alla elezione per la nomina delle reglementi amministrativi.

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OFFICIAL ORDER:
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Considering that the rain has delayed the work of sowing and that farmers have found it difficult to consign the quota of 50 and 30 Kg. of grain; considering that the local commissions have not completed their work; in order to allow all farmers to complete the consignments on the basis of the milling ration cards, by virtue of the powers conferred on me, I, CHARLES FOLATTI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

ORDER

The extension to December 15, 1943, of the time limit for the consignment of grain on the basis of the milling ration card.

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ORDINE UFFICIALE:
 NO 148

Considerato che le piogge hanno ritardato i lavori della semina e gli agricoltori hanno trovato difficoltà per versare la quota di ritenuta di 50 e 30 Kg.

Considerato che le commissioni locali non hanno ancora espletato il loro lavoro,

All'oggetto di permettere a tutti gli agricoltori di espletare le consegne in base alle tessere di macinazione,

In virtù dei poteri conferitimi, io, CHARLES ROBERTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili per la Sicilia

O R D I N O

Di prorogare fino al 15 Dicembre 1943 il termine utile per la consegna del grano in base alle tessere di macinazione.

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Considerato che le piogge hanno ritardato i lavori della semina e gli agricoltori hanno trovato difficoltà per versare la quota di ritenuta di 20 e 30 %.

Considerato che le commissioni locali non hanno ancora espletato il loro lavoro;

All'oggetto di permettere a tutti gli agricoltori di espletare le consegne in base alle tessere di macinazione,

In virtù dei poteri conferitimi, io, CHARLES FOIRETTE, Tenente Colonnello, ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili per la Sicilia

G R A D I N O

Di proseguire fino al 15 dicembre 1943 il termine utile per la consegna del grano in base alle tessere di macinazione.

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CHARLES FOIRETTE
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OFFICIAL ORBIT:

NO. 52:

Because of the exceptional conditions under which the Istituto per le Case Popolari of the Province of Palermo found itself after the destruction of its offices by air raids;

Because the subsequent requisition and immediate evacuation of other location where the Institute had transferred itself interfered with the registration, from May 1, 1943 onwards, of rented apartments within the time limits established by law;

And since the involuntary omission of registration was also caused by the forced removal of the registration office from Palermo;

By virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLETTI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

ORDER

That the time limit for registration of rented apartments whose leases were renewed or extended prior to December 1, 1943 by the Istituto per le Case Popolari of the Province of Palermo, is extended to February 29, 1944.

Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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Considerato che l'Istituto per le Case Popolari della Provincia di Palermo per le eccezionali condizioni di proprio funzionamento in cui si è venuto a trovarsi a causa della distruzione per causa bellica dei suoi uffici, o della successiva requisizione o imminente sgombero degli altri locali ove aveva trasferito, non ha potuto adempiere nei termini di legge alla registrazione delle locazioni dal 1 Maggio 1943 in poi per gli appartamenti di sua proprietà;

Considerato che al verificarsi di tale involontaria inadempienza ha anche iniziato il decadimento dell'Ufficio del Registro;

In virtù dei poteri conferitigli, io, CHARLES FOLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia,

ORDINO

Sono espressi al 29 Febbraio 1944 i termini per la registrazione delle locazioni convenute, rinnovate o prorogate in data anteriore al 1 Dicembre 1943 dall'Istituto per le Case Popolari della Provincia di Palermo.

CHARLES FOLETTI
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della Sicilia

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CCAS Palermo
CAC Palermo
Prefect. Palermo
Istituto per le case Popolari
della Provincia di Palermo
Via Caltanissetta 2 - 10
Spazio - 35

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 394

7/12/43

OFFICIAL ORDER:
ED. 53:

Considering that it is necessary to appoint a Regional Director (Italian) of Fire Brigade and Civil Defence Services;

In virtue of Power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLETTI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O R D E R

1. That there is established an office of Regional Director (Italian) of Corpo Vigili di Fuoco, who shall be head of these services throughout Sicily.
2. The Regional Director will be responsible for the organization and control of Fire Brigade and Civil Defence Measures throughout the Island and for the submission to the Chief, Public Safety Division, Allied Military Government, Sicily of recommendations for the more efficient administration of the aforesaid services.
3. The Regional Director will perform such other duties as may be assigned to him by the Chief Public Safety Division and will issue such orders and instructions as may be approved by him.
4. Capt. Ing. Luigi Bigi, Commandante 58 Corpo Vigili del Fuoco, is appointed Senior Fire Officer and Inspector with jurisdiction over the Region. His promotion to the rank of Colonel (unpaid) is hereby confirmed.

Charles Poletti
CHARLES POLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

DISTRIBUTION:

1
Prefects
Commandante Bigi
Public Safety Div. - 10
Speros - 35

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
 Quartiera Generale Regionale
 della Sicilia
 APO 394

2/12/43

CHARGE OFFICIELLE:
 53:

Visto la necessita' di assegnare un Direttore Regionale (Italiano) del
 Corpo Vigili di Fuoco e della Difesa Civile:

In Virtu' di poteri conferitimi, io, CHARGE FOLETTI, Tenente Colonnello,
 Ufficiale Regionale degli Affari Civili,

ORDINE

1. Di stabilire un ufficio del Direttore Regionale (Italiano) del Corpo Vigili di Fuoco, che sara' il capo di questi servizi per tutta la Sicilia.
2. Il Direttore Regionale sara' responsabile per l'organizzazione ed il controllo del Corpo Vigili di Fuoco e della Difesa Civile per tutta la Sicilia e dovrà sottoporre al Capo della Divisione Pubblica Sicurezza, Governo Militare Alleato, in Sicilia le raccomandazioni per la piu' efficiente amministrazione dei predetti servizi.
3. Il Direttore Regionale compira' altre mansioni che potranno essere assegnate dal Capo della Divisione Pubblica Sicurezza e darà quali ordini e istruzioni che saranno approvati da lui.
4. Il sott. Ing. Luigi Bigi, Comandante 50 Corpo Vigili del Fuoco, e' nominato Capo Ufficiale del Fuoco e Ispettore con giurisdizione di tutta la Regione. E' data promozione al grado di Colonnello (senza retribuzione) e' congedato.

CHARGE FOLETTI
 Tenente Colonnello
 Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
 della Sicilia

DISTRIBUZIONE:

In 1000
 1200
 Prefetto
 Comandante 1101
 Divisione Pubblica Sicurezza - 10
 Spares - 35

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 394

9/12/43

OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO. 54:

Considering official Order 21, of November 9, 1943, under which the Comm. Capo of P.S. GIACCO FIANCISCO (grade 7) was appointed Acting Questore of Trapani, and in view of the necessity of regularizing the position of the said Functionary:

In virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLETTI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O R D E R

1. That GIACCO FIANCISCO, Comm. Capo of P.S. be promoted to the rank of Vice-Questore (grade 7) as of November 9, 1943, and that he be confirmed in his office of Acting Questore of Trapani.
2. The Treasury Directorate of Trapani is authorized to pay said functionary the emoluments inherent in the new grade beginning as of the above date.

CHARLES POLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

DISTRIBUTION:

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLENATO
Quartiere Generale Regionale
della Sicilia
APO 394

9/11/43

ORDINE UFFICIALE:
NO. 54:

Visto l'ordine ufficiale 21 del 9 Novembre 1943 col quale il Comm. Capo di P.S. NUNCO FRANCESCO (grado 7) e' stato nominato Reggente Questore di Trapani e visto la necessita' di regolare la posizione del detto Funzionario;

Valendomi di poteri conferitimi, io, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia

ORDINE

1. Che NUNCO FRANCESCO, Comm. Capo di P.S. sia promosso a Vice-Questore (grado 7) come del 9 Novembre 1943 e che sia confermato nella carica di Reggente Questore di Trapani.
2. La Direzione del Tesoro a Trapani e' autorizzata a pagare detto funzionario lo stipendio inerente al nuovo grado cominciando dalla suddetta data.

CHARLES POLETTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
della Sicilia

DISTRIBUZIONE:

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 394

13/12/43

OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO. 55

By virtue of power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLLETT, Lt. Colonel,
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O R D E R

1. All boats must be registered and licensed by approved authority. The registration number shall be preceded by a letter or letters designating the home port of the boat and shall be clearly painted on both sides near the bow.
2. Fish must be sold in the market of the boat's port of departure unless the written permission of A.G. is secured to the contrary.
3. The restrictions against the use or possession of explosives will be rigidly enforced.
4. During the hours of darkness, boats are prohibited from fishing more than five miles (8 Kilometers) from shore and no boat shall approach within five hundred meters of any shore. Darkness means from half hour before sunset until one half hour after sunrise.
5. There shall be no departures or landings of fishing boats during the hours of darkness except in the case of emergency.
6. Fishing lights must be shielded from the sides and from above.
7. The Allied Naval Command shall specify such further local regulations and prohibited areas as it deems necessary.
8. Boats violating any of these rules are liable to attack. Violators of this law will be subject to the suspension of their licenses, prison sentence and/or a fine.

Charles Pollett
CHARLES POLLETT
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

These regulations were approved by Captain H. P. Knight, Royal Navy, S.M.O.
West Sicily, 27/11/43, and by Captain L. Daughby, United States Navy, Commander,
U. S. Naval Advanced Base, Sicily, 30/11/43.

By virtue of power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLINTE, Lt. Colonel,
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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East Sicily, 27/11/43, and by Captain L. Naughty, United States Navy, Commander,
U. S. Naval Advanced Base, Sicily, 30/11/43.

ADMINISTRATION:

Navy	10
Agricultural	
Sub-Commission	
Headquarters	10
Stores	35

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
Quartiere Generale Regionale
della Sicilia

23/12/43

SCHEMA UFFICIALE:
NO. 55:

In virtù dei poteri conferitimi, io, CHARLES POLATTI, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia,

ORDINO

1. Tutte le imbarcazioni da pesca dovranno essere registrate e munite di licenza rilasciato dalle competenti autorità. Il numero di registrazione dovrà essere preceduto da una o più lettere che dovranno essere chiaramente dipinte in due lati vicino la prua, per potere facilmente individuare il porto di origine dell'imbarcazione stessa.
2. Il pesce deve essere venduto sul mercato stesso del porto di partenza, a meno che un permesso scritto dall'AMG ne autorizzi il contrario.
3. Le restrizioni contro il uso o il possesso di esplosivi sarà rigidamente applicate.
4. E' proibita la pesca oltre un limite di 8 chilometri (5 miglia) dalla riva, durante le ore di oscuramento. Tale oscuramento avrà inizio mezz'ora prima del tramonto del sole e terminerà mezz'ora dopo l'alba.
5. Non saranno consentite partenze ed arrivi di imbarcazioni poschereccio durante le ore di oscuramento, eccetto in casi di emergenza.
6. Le luci per la pesca dovranno essere oscurate dai lati e dall'alto, proiettando la luce solo dal basso.
7. Il Comando Navale Alleato, specificherà le ulteriori norme locali e quali sono saranno proibite, qualora lo ritenesse necessario.
8. Sarà fatto fuoco su quelle imbarcazioni trovate in contravvenzione a queste disposizioni. I contravventori saranno pure puniti con la sospensione della licenza, condanna alla prigione o alla multa, o o entrambe le pene.

Charles Polatti

CHARLES POLATTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
della Sicilia

(Questi regolamenti sono stati approvati da H. F. Waight, Capitano, Regia Marina, S.M.C., Sicilia di Est. 27/11/43 e da L. Doughty Capitano, Marina degli Stati Uniti, Comandante, Base Navale Avanzata degli Stati Uniti in Sicilia, 30/11/43.

DISTRIBUTION:

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NAVY

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2. Il pesce deve essere venduto sul mercato stesso del porto di partenza, e nono che un permesso scritto dall'AMG ne autorizzi il contrario.
3. Le restrizioni contro il uso o il possesso di esplosivi sara' rigidamente applicate.
4. L'1) proibita la pesca oltre un limite di 8 chilometri (5 miglia) dalle rive, ovunque le ore di oscuramento. Tale oscuramento avra' inizio mezz'ora prima del tramonto del sole e terminera' mezz'ora dopo l'alba.
5. Non saranno consentite partenze ed arrivi di imbarcazioni peschereccio durante le ore di oscuramento, eccetto in casi di emergenza.
6. Le luci per la pesca dovranno essere oscurate dai lati e dall'alto, permettendo la luce solo dal basso.
7. Il Comando Navale alleato, specificchera' le ulteriori norme locali e quali zone saranno proibite, qualora lo ritenesse necessario.
8. Sara' fatto fuoco su quelle imbarcazioni trovate in contravvenzione a queste disposizioni. I contravventori saranno pure puniti con la sospensione della licenza, condanna alla prigione o alla multa, o con entrambe le pene.

Charles Polizzi

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Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
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DISTRIBUTION:

5	
Navy	- 10
Agricultural Sub-	
Commission - AUG HQ	- 10
SPANISH	- 35

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 394

10/12/43

OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO. 56:

Considering the necessity for the establishment of centralized control and supervision of the prison services in the Sicily Region,

By virtue of power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLITTI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

ORDER

1. That Dr. Ferdinando Colombo, Director of Palermo Prisons, is hereby relieved of his present duties and is appointed Regional Director (Italian) of Prisons Sicily.
2. The following will hold the positions of Provincial Director or Acting Provincial Director in the provinces shown opposite their names:

PROVINCE	NAME	POST
Palermo	Mag. Domenico Farruggia	Director
Messina	Dott. Eudardo De Raffaele	Director
Catania	Dott. Francesco Antuono	Director
Siracusa	Dott. Pietro Motelese	Director
Ragusa (Modica)	Dott. Sabato Manfredi	Director
Caltanissetta	Dott. Francesco Casanetra	Director
Enna	Dott. G. Battista Bellomo	Director
Agrigento	Dott. Aniello Bruno	Director
Trapani	Mag. Pietro Ferreri	Director (Acting)
Marcellona (Insane Asylum)	Dott. Vittorio Meida	Assistant Regional Director

3. The foregoing appointments will take effect immediately.

4. All officials of the Prison Service throughout the Region will be under the orders of the Regional Director. Any Orders emanating from the Allied Military Government affecting the personnel or operation of the Prison Services in the Region will be communicated through this Headquarters to the Regional Director.

CHARLES POLITTI
Lt. Colonel

Charles Politti

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Regional Civil Affairs Officer

C E D E R

1. That Dr. Ferdinando Calumbo, Director of Palermo Prisons, is hereby relieved of his present duties and is appointed Regional Director (Italian) of Prisons Sicily.
2. The following will hold the positions of Provincial Director or Acting Provincial Director in the Provinces shown opposite their names:

<u>PROVINCE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>POST</u>
Palermo	Mag. Domenico Farrugia	Director
Messina	Dott. Elcarlo De Raffaele	Director
Catania	Dott. Francesco Antonino	Director
Siracusa	Dott. Pietro Motelese	Director
Ragusa (Modica)	Dott. Sabato Manfredi	Director
Caltanissetta	Dott. Francesco Casarotta	Director
Enna	Dott. G. Battista Bellomo	Director
Agrigento	Dott. Aniello Bruno	Director
Trapani	Mag. Pietro Ferreri	Director (Acting)
Barcellona (Prison Asylum)	Dott. Vittorio Iaida	Assistant Regional Director

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Charles Polenta

CHARLES POLENTA
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

DISTRIBUTION:

2
Prefects - 12
Regional Director Prisons - 12
Pub. Safety Division - 10
Spares - 35

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLIATO
Quartiere Generale Regionale
della Sicilia

16/12/43

ORDINE UFFICIALE:
NO 56:

Visto la necessità di stabilire un controllo e una soprintendenza centrale per servizi di prigione nella Regione di Sicilia,

In virtù dei poteri conferitimi, io, CHARLES FOLATTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili per la Sicilia

ORDINE

1. Dott. Verinando Colombo, Direttore delle Prigioni di Palermo e' con questo decreto esonerato dalle sue cariche attuale ed e' nominato Direttore Regionale (Italiano) delle Prigioni della Sicilia.
2. I seguenti sono confermati nelle posizioni di Direttore Provinciale o Direttore Provinciale Reggente nelle Province indicate accanto i loro nomi:

PROVINCE

NOME

POSTO

Palermo	Rag. Domenico Farrugia	Direttore
Messina	Dott. Giacomo De Raffaele	Direttore
Catania	Dott. Francesco Antuono	Direttore
Siracusa	Dott. Pietro Liotolese	Direttore
Ragusa (Modica)	Dott. Sabato Manfredi	Direttore
Caltanissetta	Dott. Francesco Casanetta	Direttore
Enna	Dott. G. Battista Bellomo	Direttore
Agrigento	Dott. Ariello Bruno	Direttore
Trapani	Rag. Pietro Ferrari	Direttore (Reggente)
Barcellona (Insane Asylum)	Dott. Vittorio Maeda	Direttore Alienista Regionale

3. Le suddette nomine andranno in vigore immediatamente.
4. Tutti gli ufficiali del Servizio di Prigione in tutta la Regione sono subordinati al Direttore Regionale. Tutti gli ordini emessi dal Governo Militare Alleato trattando del personale o il funzionamento del servizio delle Prigioni nella Regione saranno comunicati per mezzo di questo Quartiere Generale al Direttore Regionale.

Charles Folatti

CHARLES FOLATTI

O R D I N O

1. Dott. Ferdinando Colombo, Direttore delle Prigioni di Palermo e' con questo decreto esonerato dalle sue cariche attuali ed e' nominato Direttore Regionale (Italiano) delle Prigioni della Sicilia.

2. I seguenti sono confermati nelle posizioni di Direttore Provinciale e Direttore Provinciale Leggente nelle provincie indicate accanto a loro nomi:

<u>PROVINCIE</u>	<u>NOMI</u>	<u>POSTO</u>
Palermo	Mag. Domenico Ferruggia	Direttore
Messina	Dott. Riccardo De Raffaele	Direttore
Catania	Dott. Francesco Antuono	Direttore
Siracusa	Dott. Pietro Motelese	Direttore
Ragusa (Modica)	Dott. Sabato Manfredi	Direttore
Caltanissetta	Dott. Francesco Casanatta	Direttore
Enna	Dott. G. Battista Bellomo	Direttore
Agrigento	Dott. Ariello Bruno	Direttore
Trapani	Mag. Pietro Ferrari	Direttore (Mag. Ant.)
Barcellona (Insano Asylum)	Dott. Vittorio Maide	Direttore Alienista Regionale

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Charles Politti

CHARLES POLITTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo Degli Affari Civili
della Sicilia

DISTRIBUTION:

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Prefetti - 12
Direttore Regionale delle Prigioni - 10
Divisione Pubblica Sicurezza - 35
Stares

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
SICILY REGION HEADQUARTERS
APO 394

20/12/43

OFFICIAL ORDER:
60. 61

Considering the necessity of rationing gasoline, as directed by higher authorities and considering the fact that from 1 February 1944, Special Permits for the circulation of motor vehicles, will come into force, with grants for the rationing of napone and/or gasoline:

By virtue of power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLITTI, Lt. Colonel,
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O R D E R

1. That special permits for circulation actually in force at the present time in all the Provinces of Sicily, are extended to the 31st January, 1944, without the necessity of any further action by the parties concerned.
2. Instructions will be published as soon as possible regulating the issue of the new type of permits, above cited.
3. Prefects shall require the Sindaci to give immediate publicity to this order.

Charles Politti

CHARLES POLITTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

DISTRIBUTION:

2 Prefects 9
SACI OM IGH
Sources 35

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Considering the necessity of rationing gasoline and considering the fact that from 1 February 1944, Special Permits for the circulation of motor vehicles, will come into force, with grants for the rationing of kerosene and/or gasoline:

By virtue of power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLLETTI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

ORDER

1. That special permits for circulation actually in force at the present time in all the Provinces of Sicily, are extended to the 31st January, 1944, to relieve the necessity of any further action by the parties concerned.
2. Instructions will be published as soon as possible regulating the issue of the new type of permits, above cited.
3. Prefects shall require the Sindaco to give immediate publicity to this order.

Charles Polletti

CHARLES POLLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

DISTRIBUTION:

1 Prefects 2
Regional Office 35
Others 35

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLIATO
QUARTIER GENERALE REGIONALE
DELLA SICILIA

20/12/43

UNDE L'IMPETUALO:
NO. 61:

Considerata la necessita' di razionare la benzina per ordine delle autorita' superiori e considerato che dal 1° febbraio 1944 saranno in vigore i Permessi Speciali per la circolazione degli autoveicoli con relative concessioni di raffa o benzina razionata:

In virtua' dei poteri conferitimi, io, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia,

ORDINO

I permessi speciali per la circolazione di autoveicoli attualmente in vigore in tutto la provincia della Sicilia sono rinnovati sino al 31 gennaio 1944, senza bisogno di alcuna pratica da parte degli interessati.

Saranno pubblicate le istruzioni, appona possibile, circa il regolamento per il rilascio dei suddetti nuovi tipi di permessi.

I Prefetti incaricheranno i Sindaci di renderne immediatamente noto al pubblico il presente ordine.

Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
della Sicilia

DISTRIBUTION:

Prefects	9
Each Office	35
Spares	

Per la circolazione degli autocicli con relative concessioni di carta o benzina razionata:

In virtù dei poteri conferiti, io, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello, Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia,

ORDINE

I permessi speciali per la circolazione di autocicli attualmente in vigore in tutte le provincie della Sicilia sono rinnovati sino al 31 gennaio 1944, senza bisogno di alcuna pratica da parte degli interessati.

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Tenente Colonnello
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili
della Sicilia

DISTRIBUTION:

Projects	2
FACT Office	
Spares	35

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ALLIED MILITARY COMMAND, IRT
STOLLY NATION HEADQUARTERS
APO 594

21/12/45

Official Order:

65:

In view of the fact that it is necessary to urgently provide for discipline against employees of the administration of the Posts and Telegraphs:

Considering that such necessity may occur also in the future:

And, since communications between the offices of the Island and those of the General administration have been interrupted, it is necessary, temporarily, to constitute a regional office, any commission which can settle the above mentioned disciplinary provisions:

By virtue of the power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLLETTI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O R D E R

1. A regional disciplinary commission is constituted, with headquarters in Palermo, for the employees of the administration of the Posts and Telegraphs:
2. The Commission will be headed by the Vice Prefetto Vicario of the Province of Palermo, or his substitute, and will be composed of the General Inspector of the Posts and Telegraphs, Cav. Pietro Giorgianni and of the Vice Inspector General Cav. Nicolo' Valpitta. An employee of the administration of the Posts and Telegraphs will function as Secretary of the Commission.
3. The powers of the Commission will be established by the present Italian legislation.
4. The President, the members of the Commission and the Secretary will receive a fee of L. 150.

Charles Polletti

CHARLES POLLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

REPRODUCTION:

Projects - 9
Regional Postal
Officer - 20
Stores - 35

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In view of the fact that it is necessary to urgently provide for discipline against employees of the administration of the Posts and Telegraphs:

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ORDER

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Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

JUSTIFICATION:

Projects - 2
Regional Postal
Officer - 20
Clarks - 35

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
QUARTIERE GENERALE REGIONALE
DELLA SICILIA

21/12/43

UFFICIALE:
65:

Ritenuto che occorre definire di urgenza alcuni provvedimenti disciplinari
rispetto ai dipendenti dell'amministrazione delle Poste e Telegrafi:

Considerato che tale necessita' potra' verificarsi anche per l'avvenire:

Che, essendo interrotti i rapporti tra gli uffici dell'Isola e quelli
dell'amministrazione centrale, occorre, in via provvisoria, costituire una Commissione
disciplinaria regionale che possa definire i suddetti provvedimenti disciplinari:

In virtu' dei poteri conferitimi, io, CHARLES POLETTI, Tenente Colonnello,
Ufficiale Capo degli Affari Civili della Sicilia

O R D I N O

1. E' costituita, con sede in Palermo, una Commissione di disciplina regionale per i
dipendenti dell'amministrazione delle Poste e Telegrafi.
2. La Commissione sara' presieduta dal Vice Prefetto Vicario della Provincia di Palermo
o chi ne fa le veci e sara' composto dallo Ispettore Generale delle Poste e Telegrafi
Cav. Pietro Giorgianni e dal Vice Ispettore Generale Cav. Nicolo' Vulpitta, un
inviato dell'amministrazione delle Poste e Telegrafi funzionara' da Segretario
della Commissione.
3. I poteri della Commissione sono quelli stabiliti dalla vigente legislazione
italiana.
4. Al Presidente, ai Componenti la Commissione e al Segretario sara' corrisposta
una delega di presenza di L. 150.

ESECUZIONE:

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ORDINO

1. La Commissione, con sede in Palermo, una Commissione di disciplina regionale per i dipendenti dell'Amministrazione delle Poste e Telegrafi.
2. La Commissione sarà presieduta dal Vice Prefetto Vicario della Provincia di Palermo o chi ne fa le veci e sarà composto dallo Ispettore Generale delle Poste e Telegrafi Cav. Pietro Giorgianni e dal Vice Ispettore Generale Cav. Niccolò Vulpitta, un impiegato dell'Amministrazione delle Poste e Telegrafi funzionerà da Segretario della Commissione.
3. I poteri della Commissione sono quelli stabiliti dalla vigente legislazione italiana.
4. Al Presidente, ai Componenti la Commissione e al Segretario sarà corrisposta una notifica di presenza di L. 150.

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OFFICIAL ORDER:
NO. 66:

Considering official order No. 21 of 9 November 1943 under which Dr. VITTORIO MODICA was appointed Regional Director (Italian) of Public Safety, Sicily, and in view of the necessity of regularizing the position of the said Functionary:

By virtue of power conferred on me, I, CHARLES POLETTI, Lt. Colonel, Regional Civil Affairs Officer

O R D E R

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APO 394

23/12/43

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NO. 66:

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Io, CHARLES POLETTI, Ten. Colonnello, Capo Regionale degli Affari Civili, in virtù dei poteri conferitimi

O R D I N O

Che il Dott. VITTORIO MODICA sia nominato al quinto (5°) grado nella Gerarchia Amministrativa Italiana col titolo d'Ispettore Generale Regionale della Pubblica Sicurezza. La sua carica come Direttore Regionale di Pubblica Sicurezza rimane confermata e immutata.

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30 October 1943

BULLETIN)
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NUMBER 4)

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4. The following will be used as a guide in classifying documents:

a. May be classified as "RESTRICTED" those documents which:

- (1) are for official use only.
- (2) should have limited distribution for reasons of administrative privacy.
- (3) should be denied the general public.

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5. Overclassification will be avoided since it causes unnecessary delay in the transmission of messages and depreciates the importance of classified information in the minds of handling personnel. Assign the least restrictive classification consistent with proper safeguarding of information.

6. Words "RESTRICTED" "CONFIDENTIAL" "SECRET" and "MOST SECRET" should be conspicuously stamped (or at least typewritten) on top and bottom of each sheet of document bound by staple or paper clip.

7. Classification may be changed only by originator or higher authority. Originator should notify all interested parties when classification is changed as result of compromise or when necessity for that particular classification ceases.

By command of Brigadier General McDERMOTT:

John R. McDermott
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Major, AGD
Adm Officer

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

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31 October 1943

BULLETIN)

NUMBER 5)

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Supervision of the local press has been assigned by Allied Force Headquarters to the Psychological Warfare Branch of AFHQ, which maintains close liaison with the Allied Military Government.

When Allied Military Government officers wish to discuss material that is to appear in the local press or has already appeared there, the channel of communication will be through the Information Sub-commission who will take the matter up through appropriate officers.

2. MAILING OF CHAIN LETTERS: Section II, War Department Circular Number 232, cs, is quoted for the information and guidance of all concerned:

"It has been brought to the attention of the War Department that chain letters are being sent through the mail by military personnel. The mailing of chain letters is a violation of Postal Laws and Regulations, and unnecessarily burdens the military mails.

It is desired that this matter be brought to the attention of all military personnel and that they be instructed to refrain from mailing matter of this nature."

3. ORGANIZATION OF ALUMNI: All graduates of the Command and General Staff School, U. S. Army, are requested to submit their names to Lt Col E. I. CLEGG, Room 16, A. M. G. Hq, 8 Via Bari.

This is for the purpose of organizing an alumni club in Palermo.

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As additions to the list of authorized officers are made, the secretariat will be informed in the above described manner.

By command of Brigadier General McSHERRY: 1318

John R. McDougall
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