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REPORTS TO ADMIN SECTION ON DISCUSSION WITH THE
MINISTER OF PARDON & JUSTICE
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

6/16.B/CA

22 Aug 44

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitreps

TO : All Sub-Commissions

- 1 Attached for your information and guidance is a copy of Executive Commissioner's letter Ref: 150/37/EC of 21 Aug 45.
- 2 Please consider this Section's letter Ref: 6/16.B/CA of 17 Mar 45 as cancelled.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel : 284

21 Aug 45

Ref : 150/37/EC

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitreps.

TO : Civil Affairs Section
Economic Section
Communications S/C
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Navy S/C
Land Forces S/C (MMIA)
Air Forces S/C
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Routine weekly sitreps will not be submitted in future, but matters of special interest or importance will be reported to this office as and when they occur.

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s/
Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AG/4025/3/L.

21 August 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : G. A. Sec.

1. Reference your 6/163/CA of 17 March 1945.

2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 21 August 1945 :

Several AME Orders have been prepared implementing in Northern Regions certain Italian decrees with retroactive effect in execution of a plan for the unification of Italian Social Insurance laws.

W. E. REEFERS,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AC/4025/3/L.

/rlp.
14 August 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : C. A. Sec.

1. Reference your 6/18/CA of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this sub-commission during the 7 days ending 14 August 1945:
 - a. The CIA considered the language problem in the Italian courts of the Province of Bolzano and the voting rights of the population of German extraction in same province.

W. E. BREIDEN,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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AG/1025/3/L.

31 July 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : C. A. Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 31 July 1945:-
 - a. On recommendation of the Legal Sub-Commission the summer holidays of Italian judicial personnel have been reduced.
 - b. Amendment to the decree establishing Extraordinary Courts of Assize was discussed with the Minister and it was agreed among others that the reasons for appeal to the Supreme Court of Cassation should not be curtailed.
 - c. After discussion with this Sub-Commission the Minister decided to appoint a Central Expiration Commission for Judicial Personnel in function in Northern Regions. The Commission will sit in Milan.

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W. E. BERRINS,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 594
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

10/1025/3/L.

31 July 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : C. A. Sec.

1. Reference your 6/168/CA of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 31 July 1945:-
 - a. On recommendation of the Legal Sub-Commission the summer holidays of Italian judicial personnel have been reduced.
 - b. Amendment to the decree establishing Extraordinary Courts of Assize was discussed with the Minister and it was agreed among others that the reasons for appeal to the Supreme Court of Cassation should not be curtailed.
 - c. After discussion with this Sub-Commission the Minister decided to appoint a Central Expiration Commission for Judicial Personnel in function in Northern Regions. The Commission will sit in Milan.

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W. E. BREWERS,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AC/1025/3/L

24 July 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 6/103/CA of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 24 July 1945:
 - a. Study of Italian citizenship laws with special regard to the population of German Extraction in Alto Adige.
 - b. Continuation of implementation in North Italy of economic decrees previously excluded.

W. E. HITCHCOCK,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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AC/4025/3/L.

ES/lc.
17 July 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : C.A. Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 17 July 1945:
 - a. Several Italian decrees increasing wages, salaries and pensions, have been rendered operative in North Italy.
 - b. Decision has been taken to extend the application of a decree granting amnesty for certain offences to Allied Military Government Territory.

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W. E. BEHRENS,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

ES/lc.

10 July 1945.

AC/4025/3/L.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : C.A. Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 10 July 1945:
 - a. Discussion with the Minister of Justice and drafting of directive on forwarding of petitions for pardon in cases where death penalty has been inflicted by Extraordinary Courts of Assize.
 - b. Discussion with the Minister of Justice on proposed modification of the law on Extraordinary Courts of Assize tending to expedite the execution of death penalties.

W. E. BEHRENS,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : C. A. Sec.

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10 3 July 1945.

1. Reference your 6/16B/04 of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major point of interest has arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 3 July 1945 :

A meeting on 30 June of the Chief Legal Advisor and Regional Legal Officers with the First Presidents and Procuratori Generali of the Northern Courts of Appeals and a representative of the Minister of Justice on the functioning of the Extraordinary Courts of Assize.

W. E. BERRINS,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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LCB/mt.
19 June 1945.

AC/4025/3/1.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.
TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major point of interest has arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 19 June 1945:

Against the advice of this Sub-Commission, the fascist BASTI was tried by a Special Court of Assize in Milan instead of by the High Court of Justice in Rome. The people of Milan felt that a 20 year sentence was inadequate punishment and responded with demonstrations and an attempt to storm the jail.

W. E. HARTMAN,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

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LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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AG/4025/3/L.

LCB/lc.
12 June 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 March 1945.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 12 June 1945:
 - a. Preparation of directive on the status of members of Fascist Republican Armed Forces and their position under decree n°.142 establishing Extraordinary Courts of Assize for punishment of offences committed by collaboration with the enemy.
 - b. Five persons have been sentenced to death by the Emilia Court of Assize.
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W. E. BEHRENS
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AC/4025 '3/L.

ES/mt.
5 June 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/GS of 17 Mar 1945.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 5 June 1945:
 - a. Discussion with Minister of Justice's representative of the High Commission on Sanctions against Fascism and Procuratore Generale Militare on jurisdiction of Extraordinary Court of Assize over military personnel and preparation of a directive on this subject.
 - b. Discussion on expiration of judicial personnel in LOMBARDY.

W. E. WEHRENS,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Advisor.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AC/4025/3/L.

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29 May 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Bitrep.

TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 Mar 45.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this sub-commission during the 7 days ending 29 May 1945:
 - a. The Special Courts of Assize have started to operate in the North; more than 3,000 denuncie have been received against persons in Milan.
 - b. Discussions with Procuratore Generale Militare on the subject of immediate regularization of the Italian Military Tribunals at Milan and Turin trying offences of collaboration.
 - c. Discussion with the Ministry of Justice on the new amnesty proposed by the Italian Government.
 - d. Discussion with the Minister on the status of judicial personnel appointed by CLN.

W. E. BARRONS,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

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APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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22 May 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 Mar 45.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this sub-commission during the 7 days ending 22 May 1945:
 - a. Selection of the members of the Special Section of the Court of Cassation for Northern Italy and arrangements for their travel to Milan.
 - b. Discussion with the Minister of Justice on the status of judges promoted by the Fascist Republican Government.
 - c. Discussion with the Minister of Justice on the amendment of the law setting up Special Courts of Assizes in Northern Italy so as to shorten the procedural time limit. 21
 - d. Discussion with the Minister of Justice and Procureur Generale Militaire on the division of jurisdiction over offences of collaboration with the enemy between Italian Military Tribunals and Extraordinary Courts of Assizes in Northern Italy; arrangements for establishment of Military Tribunals in Milan and Turin.

F. E. MEHRERS,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AC/4025/3/L.

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15 May 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16R/CA of 17 Mar 45.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this sub-commission during the 7 days ending 15 May 1945:
 - a. Discussion with the Minister of Justice as to the composition of the Special Section of the Court of Cassation for Northern Italy.

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for W. E. BEHRENS,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AC/4025/3/L.

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1 May 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 Mar 45.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this sub-commission during the 7 days ending 1 May 1945:
 - a. Special decree for the creation of popular courts for the trial of German collaborators;
 - b. Implementation order has been published to put into effect the policy of the economic line.

J. E. BREHNS,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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AC/4025/3/L.

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24 April 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 March 45.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 24 April 1945 :-

Preparation of the two undermentioned
General Orders by this Sub-Commission:

- a. G. O. No. 41 - Economic rates in Northern Italy.
- b. G. O. No. 42 - Transportation rates in Northern Italy.

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W. E. BEHRENS, Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APR 30
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Ref: D.O. 9/3.1/CA.

12 Apr 45.

SUBJECT: Discussions with the Italian Government
and other matters of interest.

TO: See Distribution Below.

Further to this Section's letters 9/3.1/AC dated 19 Sep 44 and
6/16B/CA dated 17 Mar 45.

- 1 In order to comply with the Executive Commissioner's letter, reference: 150/26/EC, dated 15 Mar 45, all Sub-Commissions please render a short weekly Sitrep to reach this office by 1300 hrs each Tuesday (instead of Wednesday morning). Heads of Sub-Commissions' attention is drawn to the Executive Commissioner's letter, reference above, as it is felt no Sub-Commission should render a nil return.
- 2 To enable the Vice President to read out an interesting, concise report to Regional Commissioners and Juntas, on the work of the Civil Affairs Section, Sub-Commissions will render weekly, on a Wednesday morning (instead of Tuesday) a short, interesting, light précis of the result of any discussions they may have had with the Italian Government during the preceding week, or any other points of interest arising out of their work. These reports are compiled into a D.O. Letter, and are also sent to Public Relations Officer, who uses these reports for information in the A.C. Weekly Bulletin.

A.D. Bonham Carter
A.D. BONHAM-CARTER, Lt. Col.,
CFO CA Section.

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APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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WEB/lrb.
28 March 1945.

SUBJECT : Weekly Sitrep.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. Reference your 6/16B/CA of 17 March 45.
2. The following major points of interest have arisen in this Sub-Commission during the 7 days ending 27 March 45:-
 - (a) Treatment of patriots having committed an offence during their underground activities (Legislative provision under discussion with Ministry of Justice.)
 - (b) Report on Italian draft decree for the confiscation of profits made under the Fascist Regime. Status of Italian private and public companies which Allied Nations had an interest.
 - (c) Study of various proposed decrees for the setting up of "Courts of Justice" for Northern Italy to deal with Fascist criminals.

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W. E. BEHRENS,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Adviser.

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APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

6/162/CA

17 Mar 45

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitreps
TO: All Sub-Commissions

1. Attached for your information and guidance is Executive Commissioner's letter Ref: 150/26/EG dated 15 March 1945.
2. In order to comply with the instructions contained therein Sub-Commissions will render to this Section a short weekly sitrep to reach this office by 0900 hours each Wednesday.
3. Nil Returns will be required.

R. R. Cripps
R. R. CRIPPS, Col.
CSO CA Section

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 735

Ref: 150/26/EC

15 March 1945

SUBJECT: Weekly Sitreps.

TO : VP, Economic Section (11)
VP, Civil Affairs Section (10)
Dir, Communications Sub-Commission (1)
Dir, War Material Disposal (1)
& Italian PW Sub-Commission
Public Relations Officer. (1)

1. I have received a complaint from AFHQ that the material contained in the Weekly Sitrep is not satisfactory.
2. The purpose of this sitrep is to provide AFHQ with material to give a concise weekly national picture of conditions in ITALY for the Combined Civil Affairs Committee of the Combined Chiefs of Staff in WASHINGTON. I gain the impression that this is not appreciated and the object of this memorandum is to give directions which will ensure that the activities of this Commission are adequately reported. 16
3. Previously the basis of this sitrep has been reports from Regions, but since Sub-Commissions receive all regional information of importance from their specialist officers in the field I have decided to rely on HQ to provide this basis. Vice Presidents will give special attention to the provision of material for the sitrep. Two or three lines are all that are required from each Sub-Commission, containing only material which is general in character and is likely to be of value to the CCAC in WASHINGTON: commencing 21 March 1945 this information, or a nil return, to be submitted to this office not later than 1200 hours on Wednesday of each week.

E. T. Miller
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Navy Sub-Commission
Land Forces Sub-Commission (LML)
Air Forces Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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AG/4025/3/L

RS/nt.
15 January 1945.

SUBJECT : Discussions with the Italian Government.
TO : Civil Affairs Sec.

1. Reference your 9/3.1/AS dated 19 Sept 44.
2. The following major points of interest to Regions have been discussed during the 7 days ending 14 Jan 45:-
 - (a) Completion of expatriation proceedings against judicial personnel in Military Government Territory.
 - (b) Recalling retired judges into service and recruitment of new judges.
 - (c) Circulars to be issued by the Ministry of Justice on the proper use of the power of arrest in cases involving Allied interests and on trials of prostitution cases.

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W. E. BEHRENS,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

AC/4025/3/L.

/rlp.
21 November 1944.

SUBJECT : Discussions with the Italian Government.

TO : CA Sec.

1. Reference your 9/3.1/AS dated 19 Sept 44.
2. The following major points of interest to Regions have been discussed during the 7 days ending 19 Nov 44.
 - a. Transfer to civil jurisdiction of detainees who would normally be tried by military courts (Italian) under the Military Penal Codes, whenever no such Military Tribunals exist,
 - b. Recruitment of new magistrates and retention in service of retired judges;
 - c. Establishment of MS Courts in Bari Province.

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W. E. THOMAS,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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AC/4025/3/L.

7 Nov. 44.

SUBJECT : Discussions with the Italian Government.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. Reference your 9/3.1/AS dated 19 Sept. 44
2. The following major points of interest to Regions have been discussed during the 7 days ending 5 Nov. 44.

Transfers and promotions of high judicial officials.
Repatriation of Judicial Officials POW.

W.E. BREHENS,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Sub-Commission
APO 394

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ACC/4025/3/L.

24 Oct. 44.

SUBJECT : Discussions with the Italian Government.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. Reference your 3/3.1/AS dated 19 Sept. 44.
2. The following major points of interest to Regions have been discussed during the 7 days ending 22 Oct. 44: -

Legislative Control through Ministry of Justice.
Reorganization of legal professional organizations
Necessity for examinations to increase numbers of
judicial personnel.

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P. E. BERRIES,
Colonel,
Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

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RIW/mt.
9 Oct. 44.

SUBJECT: Discussions with Italian Government.

TO : Civil Affairs Section.

1. Reference your 9/3.1/AS dated 19 Sept 44.
2. The following major points of interest to Regions arose during the 7 days ending 8 Oct 44.
 - (a) Report from Southern Region showing
 - (i) complete and satisfactory shake up of Italian Military Tribunal at Bari;
 - (ii) the number of Allied interest cases tried in Italian civil and military courts in Apulia in September were double those disposed of the same court in August.
 - (b) In Sardegna successful prosecution of Grauso Bros before Italian Military Tribunal for irregularities in dealing with AGC supplies resulting in stiff sentences and restitution to AGC of value of goods stolen.
 - (c) Completion of new set of restoration documents.
 - (d) Enactment of DLL No 224 of 10 Aug 44 - abolishing the death penalty under the Penal Code. This will not be implemented in AMG territory.

RICHARD H. WILSON,
Colonel, GAC,
Chief Legal Advisor.

In future in duplicate

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

9/3.1/AS

19 Sep 44

SUBJECT : Discussions with the Italian Government.

TO : All Administrative Sub-Commissions.

Further to this Sub-Commissions letter 9/3.1/AS dated 27 April 44, and the point brought up at the V.P.'s meeting on Monday 18 Sep 44 - items of interest to A.P. HQ. for inclusion in the weekly Sitrep.

Will Administrative Sub-Commissions submit so as to reach the Admin Sec by 1600 hours every Tuesday commencing 26 Sept 44 (instead of Saturday) a short interesting light precis of the result of any discussions that they may have had with the Italian Government during the preceding week, or any other points of interest arising in their work during the past week.

G. R. Lippin

G.R. LIPPIN Brig,
V.P. Admin Section

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

ACC/4025/3/L.

GGH/ap.
9 September 1944.

SUBJECT : Discussions with Ministry of Justice.

TO : Admin Sec.

1. Reference your 9/3.1/AS dated 22 Apr 44.
2. The following major points of interest to Regions have been discussed during the week-ending 9 Sept 1944: -

Italian Military Courts; Repeal of Racial Legislation; Abrogation of Death Penalty; Fascist Republican Legislation.

G. G. HANNAFORD,
Lt. Colonel,
Officer i/c Italian Branch,
for Chief Legal Officer.

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Please indicate below points of outstanding interest ^{to Regins} that have been
discussed with Italian Government during week ending 9 August 1944.

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Lt. Colonel HANNAFORD

Italian Military Courts -
Repeal of Racial Legislation -
Abrogation of Death Penalty.
Fascist Republican Legislation.

Lt. Colonel THACKRAH

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

ACC/4025/3/L.

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2 September 1944.

SUBJECT : Discussions with Ministry of Justice.
TO : Admin Sec.

1. Reference your 9/3.1/AS dated 22 Apr 44.
2. The following major points of interest to regions have been discussed during the week ending 2nd September 1944.
3. Proposed abrogation of the Death penalty (not yet published); increase in judges' salaries; ministerial masses; extension of amnesty to territories under AMG now returned to Italian administration; announcement by the ministers that the problem of providing judicial personnel for territory awaiting liberation was being actively met.

for
G. G. HANNAFORD,
Lt. Col.,
Officer i/c Italian Branch,
for Chief Legal Officer.

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Weekly return to Adm Gen.

Points of outstanding interest to Regions arising from discussions with the Ministry for week ending 2nd September 44.

Col Wilmer

Col Hamnford & Col Thackeray to complete.

~~Col Ferris~~

Lt. Col. Hamnford

Proposed amalgamation of the Death Penalty (not published)
 Rise of judges salary
 Ministerial measures
 Extension of authority to territories under 1000
 now vested to local administration

Lt. Col. Thackeray

Thackeray announces that the problem of providing personnel for territory assisting administration was being ~~actively~~ actively met.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Sub-Commission
APO 394

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29 Jul 1944 ART/da

SUBJECT : Discussions with Minister of Justice.

TO : Admn Sec .

1. The following major points of interest to Regions have been discussed during the week ending 29 July 1944 :
2. Defascistization of Ministry personnel, circular on amnesty, scope of ammassi penalty decree as to persons charged prior to its enactment, repeal of fascist republican decrees, consideration of various proposed decrees prepared by Minister at our instance such as increased penalties in unlicensed sale of liquor to Allied Troops, new ammassi penalty, decrees on crops other than wheat and barley etc., Italian Court situation at Bari.

Copy
A. R. TRACKRAH,
Lt. Colonel,
Italian Branch,
for Acting Chief Legal Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

23 July 1944.

ACC/4013/3/L.

SUBJECT : Discussion with the Minister of Pardon & Justice.

TO : Admin Sec.

1. The following arising out of discussions with the Ministry should be of interest to Regions.

2. Two members of the Ministerial Commissioner for defascistization of the personnel connected with the judicial administration have been appointed and the preparatory work for defascistization under the new law has begun.

A. R. THACKRAH,
Lt. Colonel,
Italian Branch,
for Acting Chief Legal
Officer.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

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H. H. H.

9/3.1/AS

22 Apr 44

SUBJECT : Discussions with Italian Government.

TO : All Admin Sub Comms.

1. In order that Admin Section can keep Regions informed of what matters are under discussion with the Italian Government and of the progress made in such discussions, all Admin Sub Comms will submit so as to reach Admin Section by 1000 hrs ~~every~~ Sunday commencing 30 Apr 44, a short précis of the result of any discussions that they may have had with the Italian Government during the preceding week.

S. H. WHITE, Major,
for GSO Admin.

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