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APO 794

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REORGANISATION OF THE ALLIED COMMISSION

1. With effect from 21 October 1946 the Civil Affairs Section together with the appointment of Vice President of the Civil Affairs Section will be abolished.

At the same time the following reorganisation will take place.

- (a) The Legal Sub-Commission, the Public Safety Sub-Commission and Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-Commission will cease to be designated as Sub-Commissions and will henceforth be known as Divisions. The Director of each of the former Sub-Commissions will now be named "Director of Division".
- (b) The Director of each of the three divisions designated in sub-para (a) above will be responsible to the Chief Commissioner through the Executive Commissioner.
- (c) The residual functions of the former office of the Vice President Civil Affairs Section will be absorbed into the office of the Executive Commissioner and will become, under the Executive Commissioner, the responsibility of his Chief Staff Officer by whom any necessary transfer of documents or personnel will be effected in conjunction with Executive Officer (B).

2. With effect from 21 October 1946 the Economic Section together with the appointment of Vice President will be abolished.

At the same time the following reorganisation will take place.

- (a) An Economic Division will be established, under an officer who will be known as the Director of the Economic Division. This officer will be responsible to the Chief Commissioner through the Executive Commissioner.

- (b) Within the Economic Division, the following Sub-Divisions will be established:

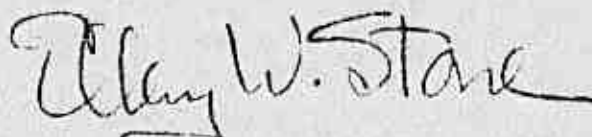
- (i) Food, Agriculture and AMG Supply
- (ii) Industry and Utilities
- (iii) Captured Enemy Material
- (iv) Commerce
- (v) Transportation

3. With effect from 21 October 1946 the Communications Sub-Commission will be re-named the Communications Division. The Division will be controlled by a Director who will be responsible to the Chief Commissioner through the Executive Commissioner

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4. With effect from 21 October 1946 the Archives Branch will be re-named the Archives Division. The Division will be controlled by a Director who will be responsible to the Chief Commissioner through the Executive Commissioner.

5. The new organisation is shewn in Table A attached.



ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

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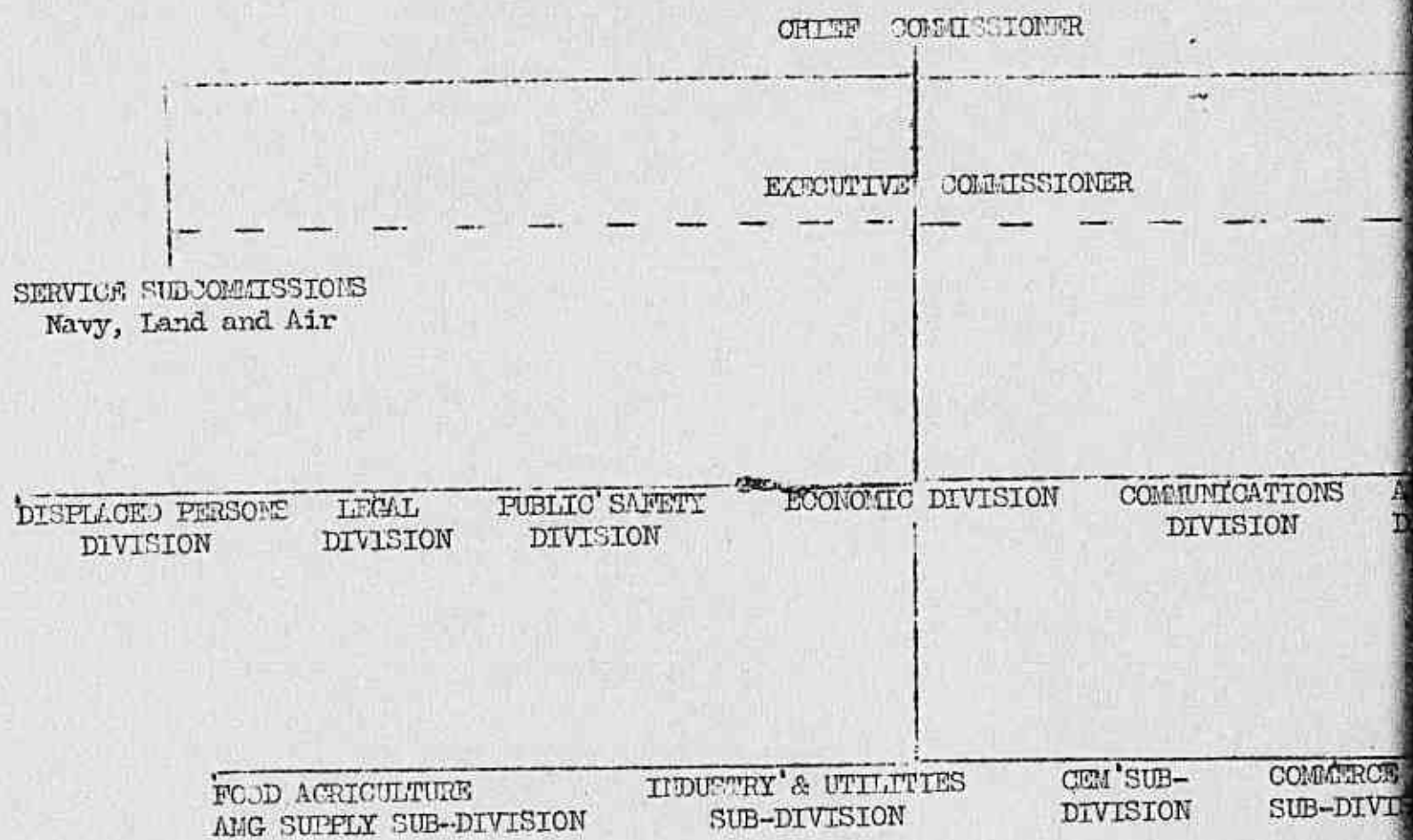


TABLE "A"

CHIEF COMMISSIONER

EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER

PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER

SAFETY
DIVISION

ECONOMIC DIVISION

COMMUNICATIONS
DIVISIONARCHIVES
DIVISIONEX. OFFICER (A)
EX. OFFICER (B)INDUSTRY & UTILITIES
SUB-DIVISIONCEM SUB-
DIVISIONCOMMERCE
SUB-DIVISIONTRANSPORTATION
SUB-DIVISION

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 794

GEL. 389-506/40

10 September 1946.

SUBJECT : Transfer of Travel Control Duties.

TO : As per distribution.

1. With effect 16 September 1946 the remaining Travel Control duties performed by the Travel Control Division, Public Safety Sub-Commission, this Headquarters, and G-2 (CI) AFHQ will be transferred to the Military Attache's Office of the American Embassy, Rome, and the Travel Section of the Visa Department of the British Embassy, Rome.

2. Accordingly, applications by American, British, French and Russian nationals desiring to go to Austria, all nations desiring to go to Germany, and American and British nationals desiring to go to the Venezia Giulia Province, will be dealt with by the above two departments of the American and British Embassies.

3. All applicants should be handled according to the three attached Directives.

FOR THE CHIEF OF HEADQUARTERS,

11. GMR, Brigadier
VZ. CA. Section.

Encls: Directive GEL. 389-506/10-7 Travel between Italy and Austria.

Directive GEL. 389-506/10-7 Travel from Italy to Germany.

Directive GEL. 389-506/40 Travel from Italy to Venezia Giulia.

Distribution:-

A.C. of S. G-2, AFHQ.

G-2 (CI) AFHQ.

Military Attache's Office, American Embassy, Rome.

Consular Section, American Embassy, Rome.

Visa Department, British Embassy, Rome.

11. Venezia Giulia Police Force, (Security Division).

A.C. of S. G-2 U.S.F.A. APO 777, U.S. Army.

Intelligence Organisation, Allied Commission for Austria, (D.F.), APO 5.504, C.I.F.

S.C.A.O., A.I.G. Venezia Giulia, (Attn. S.C.A.P.O.)

P.C., A.I.G. Udine Province, (Attn. S.C.A.P.O.)

Allied Liaison Officer, TED.

Combined Travel Security Board, Office of Military Government for Germany (U.S.)

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FOR THE COMMISSIONER,

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V.C. C.A. Section.

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Allied Liaison Officer, TME.

Combined Travel Security Board, Office of Military Government for Germany (U.S.)

ADO 742, U.S. Army.

Combined Travel Security Board, c/o Intelligence Bureau, Adv. H, Control Commission

for Germany (U.S.), Berlin, B.A.O.R.

INTERA Mission to Italy, (Attn Mr. S.D. Easton, Movements Officer), Room 330, Rome.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 794

GEL 389/506-18-K

10 September 1946.

SUBJECT : Travel from Italy to Germany.

1. With effect 16 September 1946 applications in respect of all nationals desiring to travel to Germany will be handled by the American and British Embassies in Rome.

2. Applications for the United States zone of Germany will be dealt with by the Military Attache's office of the American Embassy, and for the British zone by the Travel section of the Visa Department of the British Embassy; applications for the French zone of Germany, as in the past are dealt with by the Commandement Militaire Francaise, (Securite Militaire) at Palazzo Guidoni, Rome. However, if a person desires to visit the United States zone, or the British and French zones, the American or British Embassy will make application for the French zone clearance at the same time as they refer the case for their respective zone clearance.

3. It is the policy of the occupying powers to restrict travel into and out of Germany to the minimum. The following categories of travel to Germany are specifically not permitted at the present time.

- (a) Travel for private reasons, including travel to bring back the body or visit the grave of a relative killed in Germany.
(Visits by French nationals to graves in the French zone are now allowed by the French authorities.)
- (b) Travel to re-possess or locate property looted by the Germans.
(Reparations, Restitution and Deliveries Section of the French, British and United States Control Commission have been established to arrange for the restoration and location of property looted by the Germans. The work of these sections cannot be accomplished if individuals are allowed to enter Germany to locate and remove such property on their own account. All necessary descriptive detail should be forwarded by the Government concerned to the Reparations, Restitutions and Deliveries Section of the Control Commission (Council of the zone concerned).)
- (c) Travel to Germany of businessmen, except those travelling under a scheme of sponsorship arranged by the Government of the occupying powers of the zone to which they are proceeding. (The policy to be adapted with regard to private trading is still under review, and, pending a decision, journeys of this nature cannot be approved.)

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5. The categories of travel for transiting Germany are of a far more lenient nature, though transit of Germany is only allowed for essential journeys and when for petrol, oil, lubricants, transport, food or accommodation requirements are desired in Germany; in all cases the valid passport or visa for the country of destination is also required before an application can be considered.
6. Here again all applications complying with the above requirements should be forwarded to the respective Embassy for decision; and the issue of a Military entry permit for the approved cases.
7. The above is passed for information, and attention is drawn to the necessity of all applicants being in possession of passports validated for travel in Germany.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

W. CURR, Brigadier,
VR. C. Section.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 794

CBI.389-506/10-J

10 September 1946.

SUBJECT : Travel between Italy and Austria.

1. This Division's letter CBI.389-506/10-J dated 12 July 1946 is cancelled with effect 16 September 1946 from which date the following procedure will be in force for travel between Italy and Austria.
2. Travel from Italy to Austria:
All persons desiring to go to or transit Austria, with the exception of the following two categories, should make application to the Austrian Political Representative, Viale Bruno Buozzi, 115, Rome, for an Austrian visa.
 - (a) American, British, French and Russian nationals.
 - (b) Any national sponsored by one of the four occupying powers to go into its own zone.

The Military Attache's Office at the American Embassy will handle applicants of (a) and (b) above, desiring to go to the U.S. Zone of Austria and the travel section of the Visa Department of the British Embassy will handle applicants of (a) and (b) above desiring to go to the British Zone of Austria; applications for the French Zone of Austria, as in the past are dealt with by the Commandement Militaire Francaise, (Securite Militaire) at Palazzo Guidoni, Rome. However if a person desires to visit the United States and French or the British and French Zones, the American or British Embassy will make application for the French Zone clearance at the same time as they refer the case for their respective Zone clearance.
3. Travel from Austria to Italy.
All applicants other than American, British or Polish Service personnel, must make application to the Italian Consulate in Vienna, or to his representative in MILAN, for an Italian entry visa. American, British and Polish service personnel are the only exceptions from Italian visas and may enter Italy on valid travel orders.
It is pointed out that before it is possible to leave Austria, an exit permit is required by all nationals except American, British, French or Russian; this is obtained by making application to the local Austrian Police Headquarters.
4. The above is passed for information and it is pointed out that the Public Safety Sub-Commission, Allied Commission, and G-2 (CI) A.F.H.O., will no longer be concerned with applications for visas or permits for

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FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

W. Carr
W. CARR, Brigadier,
VP. C.A. Section.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 794.

GBI.389-506/40.

10 September 1946.

SUBJECT : Travel from Italy to Venezia Giulia.

1. The procedure whereby all persons, other than American and British military personnel, desiring to go to Venezia Giulia, make their application at the local Questura, who forward it to the Anglo-American Venezia Giulia Police Force for consideration, is still in effect.

2. However, the American and British Embassies in Rome will undertake to obtain the necessary clearance to issue permits for Venezia Giulia, for their respective nationals and persons they are prepared to sponsor.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

M. J. H. H. H.
L. CAIR, Brigadier,
VP. Section.

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