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HANDLING OF GENERAL ORDERS & PROCLAMATIONS
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(1) PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER, URBAN PROVINCE FOR S.F.P.S.O.

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SUBJECT IS ALSO ORDER PD
 PARA ONE PD PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION AGREE POSTHUMOUS PUBLICATION WITH
 TWO WEEKS PD
 PARA TWO PD READING INVENTORY AREA INCLUDING ALLIED AND CAPTURED WEAPONS
 AND OTHERS HELD BY JAPANESE AND LAID CHARGES AND AUXILIARY POLICE PD
 PARA THREE PD WRITE THE COMMISSIONER THAT INVENTORY IS BEING MADE AND OTHERS
 WILL BE FURNISHED WITH COMMISSIONER AREA WHICH REPORT TO BE ABOUT TWO WEEKS PD
 PARA FOUR PD SIGNAL IN CASE OF LOCAL SUB COMMISSION IF NOT PRACTICABLE CHA
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Ref 6/5B/CA

29 Sep 45

SUBJECT : General Orders and Proclamations

TO : Finance S/C
Legal S/C
Pub Safety S/C
Labour S/C

Economic Sec
Agriculture S/C
Transportation S/C

Reference para 2 of 6/5B/CA of 20 Sep.

This Section has arranged to send to Information 50 Copies of each of the documents referred to in the Appendix to 6/5B/CA of 31 Aug. No action on 6/5B/CA of 20 Sep is therefore required so far as these particular documents are concerned.

S.H. WHITE Lt Col,
for VP CA Section

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Accepted Memo. 10/5 ←

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QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

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Ref 6/5.B/CA

20 Sep 45

SUBJECT : General Orders, Proclamations, etc.

TO : See Distribution

- 1 The following instruction applies only to orders etc of general application and not to orders of appointment, suspension, etc which relate only to a particular individual or individuals or to a particular concern or concerns or to a particular place. It relates not only to current orders etc but also to orders previously and whenever issued.
- 2 50 copies of all Proclamations and General Orders, Regulations and Rules, for the drafting of which this Headquarters was responsible, will be sent forthwith to the Information Division by the Sub-Commission which sponsored the same together with schedules showing areas and dates of enforcement.
- 3 20 copies of all Proclamations, Orders, regulations and judicial or administrative rules (other than those mentioned above) which have been issued in a Region or any Province thereof, showing where and when they have been brought into force, will be forwarded at once by the Region concerned to the Information Division of the Public Relations Branch of this Headquarters.
- 4 All documents sent to the Information Division in accordance with this instruction will be accompanied by descriptive lists showing the quantity of each item forwarded.
- 5 Regions and Sub-Commissions respectively will in future supply the Information Division with the said number of copies of all the above described documents which may be issued hereafter as the same are issued.
- 6 Archives will so far as they can, supply from the records of closed Regions such copies of orders etc issued in such Regions as may be spare up to the above mentioned maxima.

BY COMMAND OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LEGAL SUB-COMMISSION

3 September 1945.

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SUBJECT : General Orders and Proclamations.
TO : C. A. SgC.

1. Reference your 6/5.8/OA of 31 August 1945, it is presumed that the proposal to retain 500 copies of all Proclamations and Orders is based on an intention to use them as wallpaper. Personally I do not consider them very decorative.

2. Apart from this I can conceive of no reason for preserving more than say 50 of these valuable historical relics.

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

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

6/5.8/CH

31 Aug 45

SUBJECT : General Orders and Proclamations

TO : See Distribution

- 1 Attached is a list of Proclamations, Orders, etc in stock. Space is urgently needed and it is desired to destroy stock surplus to requirements.
- 2 Please state the minimum stock necessary to be retained to meet future contingencies.
- 3 After the handover it is proposed to reduce all stock to 500 please state if you have any objection.

[Signature]
S.H. WHITE Lt Col,
for VP CA Section

DISTRIBUTION:- Finance S/C
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Pub Safety S/C
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Economic Section
Agriculture S/C
Transportation S/C
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Per, 3 G.Os are legal origin.

- (1) G.O. No 12 - No more copies are likely to be required as laws in this subject have been implemented. Suggest 50 copies retained only.
- (2) G.O. No 33 - Suggest only 50
- (3) G.O. No 50 - This was not printed - only mimeographed - so the question does not arise.

LEGAL SUBCOMMITTEE
CLO
DCLO
Chief Clerk
CJO
Section
SEP 1945

LIST OF PROCLAMATIONS, GENERAL ORDERS
AND NOTICES AS AT 31 AUG 1945

1. PROCLAMATIONS

- Nos 1. Setting up Military Government
2. Property Control
3. General Police and Security Regulations
4. Closing of Financial Institutions - Establishment of Moratorium
5. Currency Regulations

2. GENERAL ORDERS

- | | | | |
|--------|--------------------|---|--------------------|
| Nos 1. | (Renumbered) | Taxes and Public Monies | Finance |
| 2. | (Revised) | Termination of restrictions on Banking Institutes and Moratorium, extension of time for protest | Finance |
| 18. | (Sicily and Italy) | Right of Jews - Diritti degli Ebrei | Legal |
| 20. | (Italy) | Circulation of Motor Vehicles | Public Safety |
| 21. | (Revised) | Movement of Civilians and passes | " " |
| 25. | (Italy) | Public Meetings | " " |
| 27. | (Italy) | Registration of Aliens | " " |
| 28. | (Italy) | Labour Regulations | Labour S/C |
| 29. | (Revised) | Declaration of essential Supplies | Economic Section |
| 33. | | Offences (Possession of Gerry Cans) | Legal S/C |
| 35. | | Expiration | CA Section |
| 35-A | | Amendment to General Order No. 35 | CA Section |
| 37. | | Advance Payments of Certain Pensions | Finance S/C |
| 39. | | Closure of Frontiers: Italy-France, Italy-Switzerland. | Public Safety |
| 39-A | | Closure of Frontiers: Italy-Austria, Italy-Yugoslavia | Public Safety |
| 40. | | Collection of Cereals | Agriculture S/C |
| 41. | | Fixing of wages and Prices | Economic Section |
| 42. | | Transportation Rates | Transportation S/C |
| 43. | | Fraternization | CA Section |
| 44. | | Printing of Currency Notes | Finance S/C |
| 45. | | Modification Police Regulations | Public Safety |
| 46. | | Expiration in Private Industry | CA Section |
| 48. | | Employment in Industrial undertakings | CA Section |
| 50. | | Mesadria Contracts | Legal S/C |
| 51. | | Price of Bread | Economic Section |

3. NOTICES

- Nos 1. "Surrender your Arms"
2. Curfew
3. "Do not leave the shore"
4. "Surrender all Military Petrol Cans"
Graves (Italian version only)
- Public Safety

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 HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
 ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
 APO 394

WHL/EP.
 9 May 1945.

13 MAY 1945

REF : RIX/LE/300/202

SUBJECT : Proclamations and General Orders.

TO : HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION, APO 394 (for Vice-President, C.A. Section)

Ref. your 6/5P/CA, 24 October 44, and pursuant to Para 1(d) thereof, you are advised that the following Proclamations, Notices and General Orders have been posted in Forlì Province:

a. Proclamations

- No. 1- Setting up Military Government.
- No. 2- Property Control.
- No. 3- General Police and Security Regulations.
- No. 4- Closing of Financial Institutions, etc.

b. Notices

- No. 1- "Surrender your Arms".
- No. 2- Curfew.
- No. 3- "Do not leave the Shore".
- No. 4- "Surrender Military Petrol Cans".

c. General Orders

- No. 1- Taxes and Public Monies.
- No. 2 (Revised)- Termination of Moratorium.
- No. 19- Rights of Jews.
- No. 20- Circulation of Motor Vehicles.
- No. 24- Movement of Civilians.
- No. 25- Public Meetings.
- No. 27- Regulation of Aliens.
- No. 28- Labour Regulations.
- No. 33- Possession of Jerry Cans.
- No. 36- Hemp Control.
- No. 37- Advance Payment of Pensions.

2. Posting of General Order No. 29 (Revised) has been withheld at request of our Regional Supply Officer, who advises that he is requesting authority from your HQ to withhold posting of the G.O. in its present form.

For the Regional Commissioner.

WHL/EP
 WILLIAM H. LEVIT
 Lt. Col. J.A.G.D.
 Regional Legal Officer.

Copy to
 Deputy Regional Commissioner
 Regional Supply Officer

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HEADQUARTERS
VENEZIE REGION
Allied Military Government
APO 394

19 May 1945
21 MAY 1945

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission.

SUBJECT: General Orders.

FILE No: RXII/O32.12(G)

Reference 6/5p/CA of 14 October 1944,
paragraph 1(d), I attach hereto copy of a letter
addressed to the Provincial Commissioners of those
Provinces now under the administration of this
Headquarters. This is self-explanatory and sets out
the orders which have been given with regard to the
posting of General Orders within the Provinces of this
Region.

HEADQUARTERS


Regional Commissioner

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19 May 1949

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19 May 1949

TO : 1. S.O. Novigo Province
2. S.O. Pinar
3. S.O. Venesia
4. S.O. Trevino
5. S.O. Uline

SUBJECT: General Orders.

RE: Not 1941/1942, 1 (9)

1. Regional Commissioner's conference was held at HQ, on 13 May 1949 when the following decisions were taken with regard to the posting of General Orders. Provincial Commissioners will please give effect to the decisions as far as they concern their own Provinces.

2. General Order 13 will NOT be posted. (Rights of Jews)

3. General Order 10 will be posted in each Province when, and only when, the Regional Public Safety Officer gives instructions to that effect. (Circulation of motor vehicles)

4. General Order 11 should already have been posted. It has been decided, however, that within the Province of Novigo, Venesia and Trevino free circulation will be allowed within the limits of each Province, but circulation permits ⁱⁿ proceed beyond the 10 km. limit will still be required if the journey involves passing from one province to another. Provincial Commissioner of Novigo, Padova, Venesia and Trevino should publish Provincial Orders giving effect to this decision. 20

5. General Orders 13, 27, and 28 will be posted forthwith in all 14 Provinces. (Public meeting, Registration of Jews, and other regulations)

(Rights of Press)

General Order 12 will not be posted.

General Order 13 will be posted in each Province when, and only when, the National Public Safety Officer gives instructions to that effect.

(Rights of Circulation)
General Order 14 should already have been posted. It has been decided, however, that within the Provinces of Boya, Pando, Yungas and Treviso free circulation will be allowed in the limits of each Province, but circulation permits will be required if the limit will still be required if the limit beyond the 10 km. limit will still be required. Provincial agencies involved from one province to another. Provincial Commissioner of Boya, Pando, Yungas and Treviso should submit Provincial Orders giving effect to this decision.

General Order 15, 16, and 17, and 18 all will be posted, together with all five Provinces. (Public Meeting, Registration of Members, Repatriation)

General Order 19 will not be posted. A separate order is, however, being prepared, regarding persons to declare possession of controlled and restricted materials including articles other than food. Further instructions with regard to this will be issued in due course.

(General, General (Cano))
General Order 20 will not be posted at present.

(Registration)
General Order 21 and 22 will be posted forthwith in five Provinces if this has not already been done. It should be noted that the publication of General Order 23 must be accompanied by the posting of a Provincial Order stating the date of discontinuance within the particular Province. This Provincial Order should be drafted by the Provincial Legal Officer.

(Meyers Caution, Add. Paragraph)
 9. No decision has yet been taken with regard to General Orders 36 and 37. Further instructions as to these two General Orders will, if necessary, be issued in due course.

10. General Order 39 is of no interest to any of the five Provinces concerned and will, therefore, not be posted.

11. General Order 40 will be posted forthwith in the Provinces of Rovigo, Padova, Venezia and Treviso. It will not, for the time being, be posted in the Province of Udine. Instructions for the posting in the Province of Udine will be issued later.

12. General Order 41 will be posted forthwith in all five Provinces. In the case of Udine, however, it will be necessary to publish at the same time a Provincial Order excepting the price of bread and pasta from the provisions of article 6 of General Order 41 and fixing alternative prices for these two commodities in accordance with decisions already taken.

13. General Order 42 will not be posted at present. Separate instructions as to transportation rates will be issued in due course.

14. A draft Provincial Order relating to Methane Gas containers is being prepared at Regional Headquarters and will be forwarded to Provinces when ready. It is proposed that in due course each Province will post a Provincial Order in the terms of this draft as and when requested to do so by the Commerce Division.

15. All Provinces are, or should be, already in possession of sufficient copies of all General Orders except numbers 40, 41 and 42. With regard to General Orders 40, 41 and 42, the distribution of sufficient copies to all provinces will be the responsibility of the Public Safety Division at this Headquarters.

[Signature]
 Regional Commissioner

13. General Order 42 will not be posted at present. Separate instructions as to transportation rates will be issued in due course.

14. A draft Provincial Order relating to Methane Gas containers is being prepared at Regional Headquarters and will be forwarded to Provinces when ready. It is proposed that in due course each Province will post a Provincial Order in the terms of this draft as and when requested to do so by the Commerce Division.

15. All provinces are, or should be, already in possession of sufficient copies of all General Orders except numbers 40, 41 and 42. With regard to General Orders 40, 41 and 42, the distribution of sufficient copies to all provinces will be the responsibility of the Public Safety Division at this Headquarters.

[Signature]
Regional Commissioner

Copies to:-

- 1 - A.O. HQ.
- 1 - SCAG and 5 Army
- 1 - SCAG and 8 Army
- 1 - Regional Legal Officer
- 1 - Regional Public Safety Officer
- 1 - Circulation to all members of the Economic Committee.

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HEADQUARTERS EMILIA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 394

C.A. Sec.

REF : RIX/LE/300/253

WHL/jc
15 May 1945

SUBJECT : Proclamations and General Orders.

19 MAG 1945

TO : HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION, APO 394 (for Vice-President, C.A. Section)

1. Ref. your 6/58/CA, 24 October 44, and pursuant to Para 1(d) thereof, you are advised that the following Proclamations, Notices and General Orders have been posted in Ravenna Province:

a. Proclamations

- No. 1 - Setting up Military Government.
- No. 2 - Property Control.
- No. 3 - General Police and Security Regulations.
- No. 4 - Closing of Financial Institutions, etc.

b. Notices

- No. 1 - "Surrender your Arms".
- No. 2 - Curfew.
- No. 3 - "Do not leave the Shore".
- No. 4 - "Surrender Military Petrol Cans".

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c. General Orders

- No. 1 - Taxes and Public Monies.
- No. 2 (Revised) - Termination of Moratorium.
- No. 18 - Rights of Jews.
- No. 20 - Circulation of Motor Vehicles.
- No. 24 - Movement of Civilians.
- No. 25 - Public Meetings.
- No. 27 - Regulation of Aliens.
- No. 28 - Labour Regulations.
- No. 33 - Possession of Jerry Cans.
- No. 36 - Hemp Control.
- No. 37 - Advance Payment of Pensions.

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2. Posting of General Order No. 29 (Revised) has been withheld at request of our Regional Supply Officer, who advises that he is requesting authority from your HQ to withhold posting of the G.O. in its present form.

For the Regional Commissioner.

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Copy to
Deputy Regional Commissioner
Regional Supply Officer

WILLIAM H. LEVIT
Lt. Col., J.A.G.D.
Regional Legal Officer

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Legal 19A

6/5.E/CA

16 May 45

SUBJECT : General Orders and Proclamations.

TO : See Distribution

- 1 Attached is a list of those General Orders and Proclamations which have been issued from time to time by this Headquarters and which are now current.
- 2 Please note that the fact that a General Order is included in this list is not to be taken to mean that it is effective in any particular Province or Region since Orders do not become effective until they are actually posted.

BY COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL STONE :

For Hon. Mr. [Signature]
A.D. BONHAR CAPTER
Lt. Colonel.,
CSO CA Section

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**LIST OF PROCLAMATIONS, GENERAL ORDERS
AND NOTICES AS AT 15 MAY 1945**

1. PROCLAMATIONS

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|-----|----|---|--|
| Nos | 1. | Setting up Military Government | |
| | 2. | Property Control | |
| | 3. | General Police and Security Regulations | |
| | 4. | Closing of Financial Institutions - Establishment of Moratorium | |

2. GENERAL ORDERS

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|------|-------------------------|--------------|---|-------------------------|
| Nos | 1. | (Renumbered) | Taxes and Public Monies | Finance |
| | 2. | (Revised) | Termination of restrictions on Banking
Institutes and Moratorium, extension of
time for protest | Finance |
| 18. | (Sicily and
Italy) | | Right of Jews - Diritti degli Ebrei | Legal |
| 20. | (Italy) | | Circulation of Motor Vehicles | Public Safety |
| 24. | (Revised) | | Movement of Civilians and passes | Public Safety |
| 25. | (Italy) | | Public Meetings | Public Safety |
| 27. | (Italy) | | Registration of Aliens | Public Safety |
| 28. | (Italy) | | Labour Regulations | Labour S/C |
| 29. | (Revised) | | Declaration of essential Supplies | Economic Section |
| 33. | | | Offences (Possession of Gerry Cans) | Legal S/C. 23 |
| 35. | | | Epuration | 3 rd Section |
| 35-4 | | | Amendment to General Order No 95 | CA Section |
| 36. | | | Hemp Control | Industry S/C |
| 37. | | | Advance Payments of Certain Pensions | Finance S/C |
| 39. | | | Closure of Frontiers : Italy-France. | |

24.	(Revised)	Movement of Civilians and passes	Public Safety
25.	(Italy)	Public Meetings	Public Safety
27.	(Italy)	Registration of Aliens	Public Safety
28.	(Italy)	Labour Regulations	Labour S/C
29.	(Revised)	Declaration of essential Supplies	Economic Section
35.		Offences (Possession of Gerry Cans)	Legal S/C. 23
35.		Epuration	CA Section
35-4		Amendment to General Order No 35	CA Section
36.		Hemp Control	Industry S/C
37.		Advance Payments of Certain Pensions	Finance S/C
39.		Closure of Frontiers : Italy-France, Italy-Switzerland	Public Safety
39-4		Closure of Frontiers : Italy-Austria, Italy-Yugoslavia (Not yet issued)	Public Safety
40.		Collection of Cereals	Agriculture S/C
41.		Fixing of wages and Prices	Economic Section
42.		Transportation Rates	Transportation S/C
43.		Fraternization (Not yet issued)	CA Section
44.		Printing of Currency Notes	Finance S/C
3.	<u>NOTICES.</u>		
Nos	1.	"Surrender your Arms"	
	2.	Curfew	
	3.	"Do not leave the shore"	
	4.	"Surrender all Military Petrol Cans"	
		Graves (Italian version only)	Public Safety

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

6/5.B/CA

12 May 1945

SUBJECT: General Orders & Proclamations.

TO: Legal Sub-Commission

1. It is proposed by this Section to issue a Revised List of General Orders and Proclamations. This list will cover those operative or about to be published.
2. Please advise this Section whether you are in agreement with the attached draft list.

A.D. Bonham-Carter

A.D. Bonham-Carter, Lt.Col.
CSO Civil Affairs Section.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

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ACC/4074/L.

4 April 1945

SUBJECT: General Orders and Notices

TO: SCAO HQ 5th Army

1. Reference your 208/6 dated 25 March 1945.
2. The Chief Commissioner directs me to state that he considers your suggestion in regard to the signature of General Orders as very constructive and agrees that uniformity should be attained if at all possible. It is therefore proposed to adopt your suggestion.
3. In order to make the position regular, it will be necessary for this Commission to arrange for original documents to be signed by the Chief Commissioner. This is at present in hand and will be completed within a very short time. It will therefore be in order for you to proceed with placing the stickers on the forms which you now have in stock. A General Instruction to SCAOs and RCs is now in course of preparation.
4. While you mention that stickers are being placed over the signatures of the General Orders to which you refer, it is pointed out that it will also be necessary to alter the preamble in each case where another name occurs and substitute the words: "I, ELLERY WHEELER STONE, REAR ADMIRAL, UNITED STATES NAVAL RESERVE, Chief Civil Affairs Officer, for and on behalf of the Supreme Allied Commander and Military Governor."

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER :

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G. R. UPJOHN, Brig.
Vice President
Civil Affairs Section

Copy to Chief Commissioner.

PROCLAMATIONS, NOTICES and GENERAL ORDERS
current as at 4th March 1945.

Description	Subject Matter	Form of Signature
Proclamation No. 1	Establishment of Military Government.	H.R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies Military Governor.
Proclamation No. 2	Property Control, Currency and Exchange, rationing, etc.	H.R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies Military Governor.
Proclamation No. 3	Police and Security Regulations.	H.R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies Military Governor.
Proclamation No. 4	Closing of Financial Institutions.	H.R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies Military Governor.
Notice No. 1	Surrender of Arms.	For the C-in-C Allied Armies in Italy and Will NOEL MASON MACFARLANE, Lt. General, Chief Com Allied Control Commission
Notice No. 2	Curfew.	H.R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies Military Governor.
Notice No. 3	Do not leave the shore.	H.R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies Military Governor.
Notice No. 4	Surrender all Military Petrol Cans.	Allied Military Government.
X General Order No. 1	Taxes and Public Moneys.	M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Control Commission, for the Chief Com
X General Order No. 2	Termination of Restrictions on financial Institutions.	M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Control Commission, for the Chief Com

PROCLAMATIONS, NOTICES and GENERAL ORDERS
current as at 4th March 1945.

Form of Signature

Whether required in Fifth Army Area

R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies in Italy and Military Governor.	Yes - on occupation.
R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies in Italy and Military Governor.	Yes - on occupation.
R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies in Italy and Military Governor.	Yes - on occupation.
R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies in Italy and Military Governor.	Yes - on occupation.

for the C-in-C Allied Armies in Italy and Military Governor.	Yes - on occupation.
DEL MASON MACFARLANE, Lt. General, Chief Commissioner Allied Control Commission.	
R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies in Italy and Military Governor.	Yes - on occupation.
R. ALEXANDER, General C-in-C Allied Armies in Italy and Military Governor.	Yes - on occupation where appropriate.

ied Military Government.	Yes - on occupation.

S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, for the Chief Commissioner.	Yes - on occupation.
S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission, for the Chief Commissioner.	Yes - when Finance Officers are ready to open the Banks.

Description	Subject Matter	Form of Signature
General Order No. 18.	Rights of Jews.	ROSEL MARION MAC FARLANE, Lt. General, Chief Civil Officer.
X General Order No. 20	Motor vehicle circulation.	M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner.
General Order No. 24	Movement of Civilians.	M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, for Chief Commissioner.
X General Order No. 25	Permits for public meetings.	M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, All Control Commission for the Chief Commissioner.
X General Order No. 27	Registration of Aliens.	M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, All Control Commission.
X General Order No. 28	Labour Relations.	M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, All Control Commission.
X General Order No. 29	Declaration of essential supplies and fixing of Prices.	For the Chief Commissioner. M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, All Control Commission.
X General Order No. 33	Surrender of German or Italian Military Property.	For the Acting Chief Commissioner. M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, All Control Commission.
General Order No. 35	Expiration Commissions.	For the Supreme Allied Commander and Military Governor ELMER W. STONE, Rear Admiral, U.S.N.R., Chief of Affairs Officer.
X General Order No. 36	Establishing National Camp Consortium.	M.S. LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, All Control Commission.
General Order No. 37	Advance payments of pensions.	For the Supreme Allied Commander and Military Governor ELMER W. STONE, Rear Admiral, U.S.N.R., Chief of Affairs Officer.

Form of Signature

Whether required in Fifth Army Area.

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 LUSON MAG FARLANE, Lt. General, Chief Civil Affairs Officer.

No. Covered by implementation of Italian Law.

LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner.

Yes, as the basis for setting-up Provincial Transportation machinery.

LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, for the Chief Commissioner.

No. Does not apply in Army Area.

LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission for the Chief Commissioner.

If required, a similar Order signed by General Hame is used.

LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission.

Not usually required outside the larger cities.

LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission.

Similar Order signed by General Hame is used.

As Chief Commissioner.

LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission.

No. Fifth Army Blocking Order signed by General Hame is used.

As Acting Chief Commissioner.

LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission.

Yes.

As Supreme Allied Commander and Military Governor.
 W. STONE, Rear Admiral, U.S.N.R., Chief Civil Affairs Officer.

May be applied north of the Apennines with approval of HQ Allied Commission only.

LUSH, Brigadier, Executive Commissioner, Allied Control Commission.

Has not been required in present Fifth Army Area.

As Supreme Allied Commander and Military Governor.
 W. STONE, Rear Admiral, U.S.N.R., Chief Civil Affairs Officer.

Yes.

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28 MAR 1945

HEADQUARTERS
AMG FIFTH ARMY
APO 464 U.S. Army

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25 March 1945

SUBJECT: General Orders and Notices.

TO : H.Q., Allied Commission.

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For the Supreme Allied Commander and Military Governor

ELLERY W. STONE, Rear Admiral, U.S.N.R.,
Chief Civil Affairs Officer.

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4. This letter is written in case you may think it desirable for a similar procedure to be adopted in adjoining areas which will not be under Fifth Army control.

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EDGAR ERSKINE HUME,
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AMC Fifth Army.

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 HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
 APO 374
 CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

19 Mar 45

Ref 6/13/CA

SUBJECT : Proclamations, General Orders, etc.

TO :	HQ ABRUZZI-MARCHE Region	(24)
	HQ TOSCANA Region	(22)
	HQ EMILIA Region	(20)
	HQ PIEMONTE Region	(18)
	HQ LIGURIA Region	(12)
	HQ LOMBARDIA Region	(22)
	HQ VENETIA Region	(34)
	AMG 5th Army	(2)
	AMG 8th Army	(2)

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- 2 General Order No 36 (Hemp Control) has been distributed for posting in these Provinces which produce or manufacture hemp, and no wider distribution is required. The distribution of this Order has been handled by Hemp Division, Industry Sub-Commission.
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- 5 GO No 29 has been redrafted and so soon as it is printed, copies will be distributed to Regions for publication. All copies of the original GO No 29 in the hands of Regions should be destroyed so soon as the new Order is received.
- 6 GO No 30 is now cancelled.

BY COMMAND OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER :

W. R. R. CRIPES Col
 GSO CA Section

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BY COMMAND OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER :

Copy to : CA Section (10)
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Executive Commissioner

W. R. R. CRIPPS Col
CSO CA Section

APPENDIX

LIST OF FURTHER GENERAL ORDERS

- GO No 36 - Hemp Control
- " " 37 - Advance payments of Certain Pensions
- " " 38 - Prices of Bread and Pasta.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Tel. Ext. 358

13 Feb 45.

Ref: 6/b5/CA

SUBJECT : General Orders.

TO : See Distribution.

The attention of Sub Commissions is drawn to the undernoted, - extract from Chief of Staff Minutes dated 13 Feb 45, -

When General Orders are submitted for signature, the draft should be accompanied by a short minute explaining the background, the reason for the Order and its effect.

Walter Reuter Maj
H.R. GRIPPS Col
CFO CA Section.

DISTRIBUTION:

Displaced Persons & Repat. Sub Commission,
Education Sub Commission,
Legal Sub Commission,
Local Government Sub Commission,
Monuments, Fine Arts & Archives Sub Commission,
Public Health Sub Commission,
Public Safety Sub Commission,
Patriotic Branch,
Devastated Areas Branch.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 334

CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

6/5.5/04

15 Feb 45

SUBJECT: Proclamations, General Orders & Notices.

TO : HQ Toscana Region (22)
 HQ Emilia Region (20)
 HQ Piemonte Region (18)
 HQ Liguria Region (12)
 HQ Lombardia Region (22)
 HQ Venezia Region (34)

Reference is made to this HQ letter 6/5.5/04 of 14 Oct 44.

1 Regional Commissioners of the northern Regions will no longer be able to depend on AMG Armies for the posting of Proclamations Nos 1 to 4 and General Order No 1 as it is apprehended that there will be large areas in which no publication will be made by the Armies.

2 Regional Commissioners are therefore responsible for ensuring the publication of all Proclamations, General Orders and Notices within the territory of their Regions as and when they take over.

3 Proclamations Nos 1 to 4 and General Order No 1 will be published at the earliest moment. General Order No 2 will only be published on the recommendation of Regional Finance Officers.

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- 6 General Order 35 (Eputation) will, however, only be posted after authority has been obtained from this HQ.
- 7 Regional Commissioners will check their stocks of Proclamations, General Orders and Notices and will revise their estimates of the numbers of Proclamations etc which will be required within their Regions. Estimates of quantities still required will be given to this Section not later than 24 February. Nil returns are required.
- 8 In future SCOs Armies will incant on Regions for supplies.
- 9 Nothing in this letter will preclude SCOs Armies from continuing to post such Proclamations, Orders and Notices as they deem necessary but they should keep the Regions informed of those they post and where they post them.

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BY COMMAND OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER :

Copies to: Cl Section (10)
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LIST OF PROCLAMATIONS
GENERAL ORDERS AND
NOTICES INSTANT -

1. PROCLAMATIONS

- Nos. 1. Setting up Military Government.
2. Property Control.
3. General Police and Security Regulations.
4. Closing of Financial Institutions and establishment of a moratorium.

2. GENERAL ORDERS

No 1	(Renumbered)	Taxes and Public Monies	Finance
2	(Revised)	Termination of restrictions on Parking Institutes and Moratorium, extension of time for protest.	Finance
18	(Sicily and Italy)	Right of Jews	Legal
20	(Italy)	Circulation of Motor Vehicles	Public Safety
24	(Revised)	Movement of Civilian and passes	Public Safety
25	(Italy)	Public Meetings	Public Safety
27	(Italy)	Regulation of Aliens	Public Safety
28	(Italy)	Labour Regulations	Public Safety
29		Declaration of essential Supplies	Labour S/C 13
30		Mixing prices "Bread and Pasta"	Economic Sec.
33		Offences (Possession of Berry Cans)	Food S/C
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

APO 394

Office of the Chief of Staff.

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Ref: 65/59/005.

2 December 1944

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

NUMBER 19)

Orders & Directives issued by Headquarters
Allied Commission

1. The following is published in order to clarify the contents, manner and scale of issue of the various types of instructions issued by this HQ.
2. Orders and directives of general application which are commonly issued by this HQ are of two classes (A) those which affect the civil population by regulating either its conduct or the conduct of AMG officers towards it and (B) those which are concerned only with the internal organization of the Allied Commission.

3. Of the first class, (A), there are three :

(a) Proclamations - which declare the fundamental military law to be applied and observed in Military Government Territory and are enforceable by penalties. These are usually issued over the signature of the Military Governor or Deputy Military Governor and the populace is normally notified of the law by posting.

(b) General Orders - these are amplifications within the framework of the fundamental military law on particular subjects and are enforceable by penalties. They are commonly prepared by the Legal Subcommittee on the facts and to the ends desired by the appropriate Subcommittee and will be issued over the signature of the Chief Commissioner. Publication is normally made by posting but in suitable cases may also or alternatively be made by notification in the press. General Orders are usually prepared in advance to meet possible requirements but are not normally put into effect in the field without instructions from this HQ.

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HEADQUARTERS
ARMED FORCES COMMISSION
C.A. Section
REG 394

Ref : 16/2/CA

6 October 1944.

SUBJECT : General Orders .

TO : Chief Legal ~~Section~~ *Adviser*
Legal Sub-Commission .

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- (c) Office Memoranda - are concerned with details of administration of HQ Allied Commission itself, and deal with office procedure and similar matters. They are prepared by and issued over the signature of the Adjutant, Distribution "A".

By command of Commodore STONE:

N. W. Braggett
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 Major, AED
 ADJUTANT

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HEADQUARTERS
ARMED CONTROL COMMISSION
C.A. Section
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Ref : 16/2 /Ca

6 October 1944.

SUBJECT : General Orders .

TO : Chief Legal ~~Officer~~ *Adviser*
Legal Sub-Commission .

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

2 September 1944

REF/278/276/CA.

SUBJECT : General Orders

TO : Region IV, V, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII;

With reference to this HQ letter 278/207/CA of 6th July the appendix hereto gives the additional General Orders which have been printed and issued to Regions. Regions will publish the new Orders as and when issued to them.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel,
Deputy Executive
Commissioner.

Copy to: 5th & 8th Armies and Region I, VI and Southern Region.
Legal Sub-Commission.

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Copy to: 5th & 8th Armies and Region I, VI and Southern Region.
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APPENDIX

General Order NO.

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| 24 | (Revised) | Replacing old General Order No. 24. Movement. |
| 28 | | Labour Relations. |
| 29 | | Declaration of Essential supplies and fixing of prices. (With Printer but will shortly be issued.) |
| 30 | | Fixing Prices. |

See folio 8A for up to date list

LIST OF CURRENT GENERAL ORDERS

As at 6 October 1944

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✓	GENERAL ORDER No. 1	-	Taxes and Public Monies
✓	" " 2 (Revised)	-	Termination of Restorations on Financial Institutions and of Moratorium. Where G.O. No. 2 (Revised) is posted it amends G.O. No. 1 to the extent of not requiring the payment of imposts and taxes in cash only.
✓	" " 12	-	Reorganization of Bar Associations (not yet prepared).
✓	" " 18	-	Restoration of civil and political rights to Jews.
✓	" " 20	-	Motor Vehicles circulation permits, and authorization for supplies of petroleum products for Motor Vehicles and other users.
✓	" " 24 (Revised)	-	Permits and Passes.
✓	" " 25	-	Public Meetings.
✓	" " 26 (Revised)	-	Consignment of Wheat and Barley produced in 1944 to People's Granaries.
✓	" " 27	-	Registration of Aliens.
✓	" " 28	-	Labour Relations.
✓	" " 29	-	Declaration of Essential Supplies and Fixing of Prices.
✓	" " 30	-	Announcement of Price of Bread. <i>Cancelled by 38</i>
✓	" " 31	-	Extension of Agricultural Contracts. Control of consigning Wheat and Barley.
✓	" " 32	-	Agricultural rents.
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✓	"	"	38	-	<i>Pensions</i> <i>Price of Bread & Petrol</i>
✓	NOTICE No. 1			-	Surrender your Firearms.
✓	"	"	2	-	Curfew.
✓	"	"	3	-	Do not leave the Shore
✓	"	"	4	-	Surrender all Military Petrol Cans.

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NOTE FOR POLICY FILE
ON GENERAL ORDERS

ON FUTURE PRINTINGS
OF ~~PROCEEDINGS~~ GENERAL ORDERS NO
DATES ARE TO BE INSERTED.

Decision of A/Head Admin. - 16/7/44.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

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14 JUL 1944

Ref/278/218/CA

13 July 1944

SUBJECT: Proclamations, General Orders and Notices.

TO : R.C.'s Regions IV, V, VIII and IX and Rome Region.
S.C.A.O.'s 5 & 8 Armies.

1. With reference to this Headquarters letter 278/208/CA of 6 July 44, Proclamation No. 4 will continue to be published by SCAO's with AMG 5 and 8 Armies at the same time as other proclamations. General Order No. 2 (renumbered) may be published by Regional Commissioners and SCAO's on recommendation of their Regional or Senior Finance Officers.

2. Para 4 of the above mentioned letter is amended to this extent.

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
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Copy to:

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/278/219/CA

13 July 1944

SUBJECT: General Orders and Notices.

TO : Distribution below.

With reference to this Headquarters letter 278/207/CA of 6 July 44 para 4 is amended as follows:

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NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel
Deputy Executive
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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.C. SECTION
APO 394



Ref/278/208/CA

6 July 1944

SUBJECT: Proclamations, General Orders, and Notices.

TO : R.C.'s Regions IV, V, VIII and IX, and Rome Region.
S.C.AO's AMG 5 and 8 Armies.

1. For your guidance there is attached a list of Proclamations, General Orders and Notices which may be brought into use in newly occupied territories.
2. As and when new Orders are originated you will be furnished with the number of copies you need, in accordance with standing requirements as notified to R.C. & M.C. Section.
3. Meanwhile, please let this Headquarters know if you require any further supplies in addition to those already held.
4. In the future, SCAO's with AMG, 5 and 8 Armies, will publish Proclamations Nos. 1, 2 and 3, General Order No. 1 (renumbered) and Notices 1 and 2. Proclamation No. 4 (Closing of Banks) and General Order No. 2 (renumbered) (Re-opening of Banks), will be published only upon order of R.C. & M.C. Section at the request of Finance Sub-Commission. Other General Orders will only be published by the SCAO's with Armies when specifically requested to do so by the Sub-Commissions concerned through R.C. & M.C. Section.

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LIST OF PROCLAMATIONS, GENERAL ORDERS
AND NOTICES EXTANT

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Nos. 1 - 4.

2. General Orders.

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3. Notices.

Nos. 1 and 2.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. & M.G. SECTION
APO 394

Ref/278/207/CA

6 July 1944

SUBJECT: General Orders and Notices.

TO : Distribution below.

1. Reference is made to Office Memorandum dated 1 March 1944 published in "Instructions for the Guidance of Officers of the Commission", Part III, Pages 3 and 4.
2. From time to time General Orders have been issued by the Executive Commissioner upon recommendation of Sections and Sub-Commissions. Some of these remain current, others are now obsolete and the remainder have either been incorporated in General Orders 1 and 2 (renumbered) or will be included in General Orders now in preparation.
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6. Proclamations and General Orders can be amended or varied only by order of the Chief Commissioner in the case of Proclamations and by the Executive Commissioner in the case of General Orders. It follows that Sections and Sub-Commissions will take no action in conflict with the above.

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JOINT HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED ARMY COMMISSION
ITALY, MILAN-TERRELLA
A.P.O. 304

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Subject: Posting of General Orders

13 June 1944

To : R C & H G Section (CAG)

1. As a result of a visit by the Chief Judicial Officer to Region V, it appears that some regions and Army areas are quite uncertain as to what proclamations and general orders should be posted in areas now being invaded and taken.

2. This is a matter for the Executive Commissioner to determine by Executive Decree (see your 270/15 CA dated 1 Mar 44, para 2 (b)).

3. For your assistance in issuing such Executive Decrees, and in arranging your printing program, therefore, I have compiled a list of all General Orders which have been issued, showing:

- (a) Which General Orders should now be regarded as obsolete;
- (b) Which General Orders were issued in Sicily, but which do not appear to have been used by 15th Army Group in Italy;
- (c) Which General Orders may now be regarded as current;
- (d) Matters now under consideration with sub-commissions.

4. It is for you to determine, after consultation with the originating sub-commission, at what stage a General Order should be posted, e.g. whether in any area or whether only after a locality has been handed over to a Regional Commissioner; whether posting is to be compulsory or at the discretion of the Regional Commissioner and so on. On the other hand some General Orders are primarily for use in any area (e.g. the general orders) as they contain the provisions of Royal Decrees which will be made part of the law of occupied territory when a province is handed over to a region. 2

5. I have not touched on proclamations as the position is simple; proclamations 1, 2, 3 are always posted on entry and proclamation 4 if, but only if the policy is to close the border.

6. This sub-commission is the originating sub-commission only in respect of General Order No. 12 (Sicily) and in respect of this order I recommend that it be not posted until after a locality has been handed over to a Regional Commissioner and then only at his discretion acting on the advice of the HJO. It will require a few amendments to bring it into form for use in Italy.

J. Rhymer
A. H. HUGHES,
Colonel,
Chief Legal Officer.

Copy to:

(Hqs, Regions 4, 5, 8.) For info and to
(Hqs, 3rd & 8th Army) note that requests
for copies of General
Orders will be made to
R C & H G Section.

LIST OF GENERAL ORDERS

13th June 1944

A. ORDERS ISSUED IN SICILY AND ITALY WHICH ARE OBSOLETE.

<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>General Order No.</u>	<u>Subject</u>
1	No. 1 (Sicily)	Partial suspension of Moratorium.
2	No. 1 (Italy)	
3	No. 2 (Sicily)	Taxes and Public Monies.
4	No. 2 (Italy)	
		Note: The contents of these two general orders have now been included in new General Order No. 1.
5	No. 3 (Italy)	Termination of Moratorium.
		Note: The contents of this general order is included in new General Order No. 2.
6	No. 4 (Italy)	Trade with unoccupied Italy.
		Note: The content of this General Order now included in new Proclamation No. 2.
7	No. 6 (Sicily)	Reopening of Banks.
		Note: Covered by new General Order No. 2
8	No. 6 (Italy)	Extension of Property Control to property of United Nations and France.
		Note: Covered by new Proclamation No. 2.
9	No. 7 (Sicily)	Amendment of Proclamations 2 & 4 (Sicily)
		Note: Covered in New Proclamation No. 1.
10	No. 9 (Sicily)	Circulation of Motor Vehicles.
		Note: Covered by General Order No. 20.
11	No. 10 (Sicily)	Termination of ^{Financial} Insurance Restrictions.
		Note: Covered by new General Order No. 2
12	No. 13 (Sicily)	Bills of Exchange.

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Reopening Bank of Italy.
- 14 No. 16 (Sicily and Italy)
Extension of Property Control.
Note: Covered by new Proclamation No. 2.
- 15 No. 19 (Sicily and Italy)
Extension of Property Control.
Note: Covered by new Proclamation No. 2.
- 16 No. 23
Elimination of restrictions on transfer of land. Not necessary where revised forms of proclamation are posted.
- 17 No. 5 (Italy)
Temporary Wage Adjustment, Labor Relation
Note: This subject will be covered by new General Order now in preparation.
- 18 No. 8 (Sicily)
Labor Relations.
Note: This subject will be covered by new General Order now in preparation.

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Serial No.	General Order No.	Subject
19	No. 14 (Sicily)	Temporary Wage Adjustment. Note: This subject will be covered by new General Order now in preparation.
20	No. 17 (Sicily and Italy)	Collective Bargaining. Note: This subject will be covered by new General Order now in preparation.
21 22	No. 21 (Italy) No. 22 (Italy)	Appointments of Officials of Banks of Italy and Naples.
B. Orders (Sicily) never issued by 15th Army Group in Italy.		
23	No. 3 (Sicily)	Prices of certain grain, deliveries, rations, prices, etc.
24	No. 4 (Sicily)	Price control order. Note: New Proclamation No. 2 freezes rates of labor, food stuffs and goods as of the date of the first publication thereof. General Orders now in preparation will cover this subject matter in detail.
25	No. 5 (Sicily) revised	Declaration of essential supplies, prohibition against removal and transfer of certain commodities. Note: The subject of this General Order will be dealt with by a new General Order now in preparation.
C. Current Orders.		
26	No. 1 (Renumbered)	Taxes and Public Monies.
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28	No. 12 (Sicily)	Reorganization of Bar Association. Note: A revised edition suitable for Italy will be forwarded to you shortly.

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34	No. 27 (Italy)	Registration of Aliens.

D. General Orders in Course of Preparation.

- (a) As to Labour Relations (See General Orders Serials 17, 18, 19, 20) our
draft order has been received back with some amendments from Labour Sub-
commission which require discussion but it should be ready for signature
by Executive Commissioner in 2 or 3 days.
- (b) Further amassi General Orders are under consideration with Agriculture Sub-
commission and should be ready for signature by Exec. Comm. within a week.
- (c) Industry & Commerce (See General Orders Serials 23, 24, 25) are under con-
sideration with Industry & Commerce Subcommission.
- (d) Reorganization of Bar Association (Serial 28); an amended draft will be
submitted for signature in 2 or 3 days.

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