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HEADQUARTERS

GENERAL ORDER)  
NO. )

WHEREAS the following area has been designated as a Military Zone of the Allied Forces

and  
the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone am duly authorized and empowered to make and issue such orders and regulations as are necessary for the proper control of said Military Zone

NOW THEREFORE, as such Commanding Officer, I hereby make and issue the following order which shall become effective throughout said Military Zone as of the date hereof:

ARTICLE I

Offences Against the Allied Forces Which May be Punished by Death:

Any person who:

- (1) Serves the enemy as a spy or harbors or aids an enemy spy;
- (2) Communicates with the enemy or with any person within territory under their control in any manner or on any subject whatever;
- (3) Sends to any person anywhere any communication giving any information whatever concerning the Allied Forces; or receives any such communication and fails promptly to report the same to the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone

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- (4) Bears arms against the Allied Forces;
- (5) Willfully misleads any troops of the Allied Forces in the performance of their duties;
- (6) Assists a prisoner of war to escape or assists or conceals any prisoner of war after escape;
- (7) Assists any of the enemy armed forces to evade capture;
- (8) Enters or is found within any place or area designated as a forbidden area either by the posting of a sign; or the presence of sentries, without a pass specifically authorizing him to be there;
- (9) Steals any property of the Allied Forces or of any person belonging to the Allied Forces to the aggregate value of more than 10,000 lire;

- (10) Removes, destroys or damages any war material belonging to the Allied Forces with intent to interfere with military operations or the safety of the Allied Forces;
- (11) Interferes with communication by mail; courier; telegraph telephone; cable, or otherwise, or destroys or damages any facility of communication;
- (12) Interferes with transportation by railroad, road, sea or air or otherwise, or destroys or damages any facility of transportation;
- (13) Interferes with the operation of any public service or utility, including water supply, electric light and power, gas, sanitation or similar services, or destroys or damages any facility or installation of any such service;
- (14) Kills any member of the Allied Forces;
- (15) Assaults any member of the Allied Forces with intent to kill or inflict serious bodily harm;
- (16) Rapes any nurse or other woman serving with the Allied Forces or assaults any such nurse or ~~other~~ woman with intent to commit rape;
- (17) Wilfully does any act in aid of the enemy or hostile to or endangering the safety of the Allied Forces;

shall; upon conviction by a <sup>military</sup> Military Court, be liable to punishment by death or by imprisonment, or fine, or both, as the court may determine.

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ARTICLE II

OFFENCES AGAINST THE ALLIED FORCES PUNISHABLE BY FINE OR IMPRISONMENT.

Any person who:

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- (18) Gives false evidence before a Military Tribunal;
- (19) Steals any property of the Allied forces or of any member thereof of a value not in excess of 10,000 lire;
- (20) Publishes or circulates or has in his possession with intent to publish or circulate, any printed or written matter in the interest of the enemy or its armed forces or hostile, detrimental, or disrespectful to the governments of the United States or Great Britain, the Allied forces, or to the government of any other of the United Nations;
- (21) Utters any speech or words hostile or disrespectful toward the United States or Great Britain, the armed forces of either, or any members thereof, or the government of any other of the United Nations;

- (22) Assaults any member of the Allied Forces;
- (23) Offers a bribe to or intimidates any person acting under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone in order to induce him not to perform his duty;
- (24) Interferes with the arrest or assists the escape of any person about to be arrested under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone;
- (25) Acquires by gift or purchase any military equipment or war material belonging to the Allied Forces;
- (26) Knowingly makes any false statement to any member of the Allied Forces in connection with any matter of official concern;
- (27) Wrongfully receives or has in his possession property of the Allied Forces or any member thereof;
- (28) Does any act to the prejudice of good order or the safety or security of the Allied Forces or any member thereof;

shall; upon conviction by <sup>an Allied</sup> Military Court; be liable to punishment by such fine or imprisonment, or both, as the court shall direct.

ARTICLE III

SECTION 1. CONSPIRACY, ADVISING OR ASSISTING VIOLATION.

Anyone who conspires to do any act constituting an offense under this ~~proclamation~~ <sup>or any other</sup> or any other proclamation or order issued by or under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone, or who advises, assists in or procures the commission of any such act shall be punishable as a principal.

SECTION 2. ATTEMPTS.

An attempt to do any act which constitutes an offense under



thereof; <sup>as well as</sup> upon conviction by Military Court; be liable to punishment by such fine or imprisonment, or both, as the court shall direct.

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SECTION 2. ATTEMPTS.

An attempt to do any act which constitutes an offense under this ~~proclamation or any other proclamation or order~~ <sup>proclamation or order</sup> issued by or under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone, shall likewise constitute an offense which shall be punishable to the same extent as though the act had been committed.

*any other*

*Special*

*etc*

*Commanding*

Whereas the following area ~~has~~  
 has been constituted  
 has been declared  
 has been established as } an allied military zone

Now therefore I  
 Commanding officer of said  
 allied military zone by virtue of the  
 authority vested in me by General  
 Dwight D. Eisenhower, Commander  
 in chief of the Allied Forces in  
 the North African Theatre of Operations  
 do hereby proclaim and order  
 as follows:

Each member of the Allied Forces in the North African Theatre of Operations shall be held responsible for the maintenance of discipline and order in the area of his command. Any member who fails to do so shall be held liable for the consequences thereof. This order shall be effective from the date of its issuance.

Effective date set and 16  
 This proclamation and order shall  
 become effective throughout said  
 allied military zone on the date hereof

Should the C.O. not issue  
order establishing military courts  
along line of Prod 4

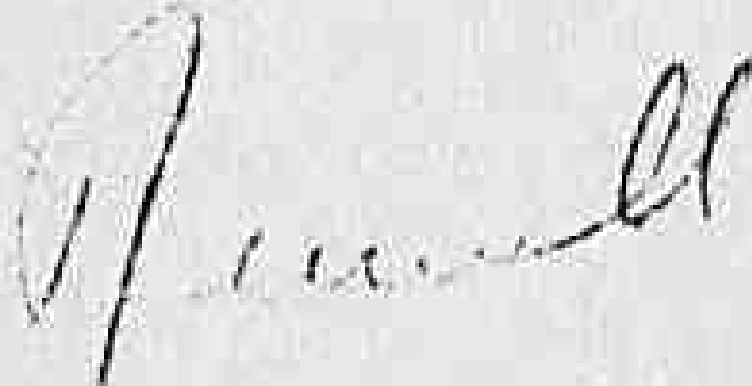
Subject:- Constitution of Allied Military Courts

AMGOT/4002/L

10 Aug 43

1. Each Senior Civil Affairs Officer is hereby authorized to appoint, by special order, such Summary and Superior Courts he may deem necessary, to hear and determine such cases as may arise in the districts and territories under his control in accordance with the provisions of Proclamation No. 4.
2. All Senior Civil Affairs Officers are authorized to sit as a Summary Military Court or as a member of a Superior Military Court.
3. All Officers of AMGOT who are lawyers by profession are hereby designated as Judicial Officers within the meaning of Proclamation No. 4.
4. No officer not assigned to AMGOT will be appointed to an Allied Military Court without the consent of his Commanding Officer.
5. Civil Affairs Police Officers will not be appointed to Allied Military Courts.
6. Two copies of all such orders of appointment will be forwarded to this Headquarters directed to the attention of the Chief Legal Officer.

AMGOT  
15 Army Group.

  
Major-General Lord Rennell of Rodd,  
Chief Civil Affairs Officer.

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It has in his possession ~~any~~ any  
fire arms, ammunition, explosives or  
similar war supplies after the date  
fixed by public notice except in  
~~accordance~~ accordance with a permit  
issued by ~~the~~ <sup>the C.O. of said military zone</sup> or ~~the~~ <sup>under</sup> ~~his~~ <sup>his</sup>  
authority.

It has in his possession any wireless  
or other apparatus for transmitting  
signals or other messages after the  
date fixed by public notice  
except in accordance with a  
permit issued ~~by~~ <sup>by the C.O. of said military zone</sup> or under  
~~his~~ <sup>his</sup> authority.

Commits any act of plunder or pillage.

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21 Inhabits any inhabitant of the said  
milit. zone

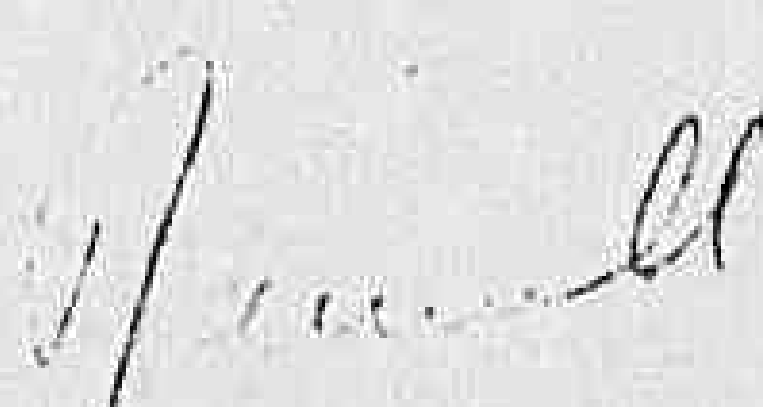
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AMGOT/4032/L

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3. All Officers of AMGOT who are lawyers by profession are hereby designated as Judicial Officers within the meaning of Proclamation No. 4.
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6. Two copies of all such orders of appointment will be forwarded to this Headquarters directed to the attention of the Chief Legal Officer.

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Major-General Lord Rennell of Rodd,  
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add Improvement  
 every person who circulates in the  
 streets or outside of his own house  
~~shall~~ without a permit during the  
 hours and after the date fixed  
 by public notice except in accordance  
 with a permit issued <sup>the C.O. of said military zone</sup> ~~by~~ him  
 under his authority.

~~Take part in any public~~  
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39 Removes a damages any notice,  
 procl. or order posted under the  
 authority of the C.O. of said  
 military zone.

41 Fails to have in his possession  
 at all times such an identification  
 card as shall be required by the  
 C.O. of said military zone, or issues  
 any such false identification card.

Subject:- Constitution of Allied Military Courts

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1. Each Senior Civil Affairs Officer will be authorized to appoint, by special order, such Senior Civil Affairs Officers as may deem necessary, to hear and determine cases which may arise in the District and territories under his control in accordance with the provisions of Proclamation No. 4.
2. All Senior Civil Affairs Officers are authorized to sit as a Summary Military Court or as a member of a Summary Military Court.
3. All Officers of AMWT who are lawyers by profession are hereby designated as Judicial Officers within the meaning of Proclamation No. 4.
4. No officer not assigned to AMWT will be permitted to sit as an Allied Military Court within the limits of his jurisdiction as a Civil Officer.
5. Civil Affairs Police Officers will not be permitted to sit as Allied Military Courts.
6. Two copies of all orders of appointment will be forwarded to this Headquarters in accordance with the orders of the Chief Legal Officer.

*[Handwritten Signature]*

AMWT  
15 Army Group

Colonel G. L. G. Rodd,  
Chief Legal Officer



## HEADQUARTERS

GENERAL ORDER)  
NO. )

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WHEREAS I,

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the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone am duly authorized and empowered to make and issue such orders and regulations as are necessary for the proper control of said Military Zone

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- (3) Sends to any person anywhere any communication giving any information whatever concerning the Allied Forces; or receives any such communication and fails promptly to report the same to the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone.

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  - (2) Communicates with the enemy or with any person within territory under their control in any manner or on any subject whatever;
  - (3) Sends to any person anywhere any communication giving any information whatever concerning the Allied Forces; or receives any such communication and fails promptly to report the same to the Commanding Officer of said military zone.
  - (4) Bears arms against the Allied Forces;
  - (5) Willfully misleads any troops of the Allied Forces in the performance of their duties;
  - (6) Assists a prisoner of war to escape or assists or conceals any prisoner of war after escape;
  - (7) Assists any of the enemy armed forces to evade capture;
  - (8) Enters or is found within any place or area designated as a forbidden area either by the posting of a sign or the presence of sentries, without a pass specifically authorizing him to be there;
  - (9) Steals any property of the Allied Forces or of any person belonging to the Allied Forces to the aggregate value of more than 10,000 lire;

- (10) Removes, destroys or damages any war material belonging to the Allied forces with intent to interfere with military operations or the safety of the Allied Forces;
- (11) Interferes with communication by mail, courier, telegraph, telephone, cable, or otherwise, or destroys or damages any facility of communication;
- (12) Interferes with transportation by railroad, road, sea or air or otherwise, or destroys or damages any facility of transportation;
- (13) Interferes with the operation of any public service or utility, including water supply, electric light and power, gas, sanitation or similar services, or destroys or damages any facility or installation of any such service;
- (14) Kills any member of the Allied Forces;
- (15) Assaults any member of the Allied Forces with intent to kill or inflict serious bodily harm;
- (16) Rape any nurse or other woman serving with the Allied Forces or assaults any such nurse or other woman with intent to commit rape;
- (17) Willfully does any act in aid of the enemy or hostile to or endangering the safety of the Allied Forces;

Whoever upon conviction by a Military Court, be liable to punishment by death or by imprisonment, or fines, or both, as the court may determine.

Percees or assaults any such nurse or ether woman with intent to see it rape;

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ARTICLE II

OFFENSES AGAINST THE ALLIED FORCES PUNISHABLE BY FINE OR IMPRISONMENT.

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- (19) Steals any property of the Allied forces or of any member thereof of a value not in excess of 10,000 lire
- (20) Publishes or circulates or has in his possession with intent to publish or circulate, any printed or written matter in the interest of the enemy or its armed forces or hostile, detrimental, or disrespectful to the government of the United States or Great Britain, the Allied forces or to the government of any other of the United Nations;
- (21) Utters any speech or words hostile or disrespectful toward the United States or Great Britain, the armed forces of either, or any members thereof, or the government of any other of the United Nations;

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- (22) Assaults any member of the Allied Forces;
- (23) Offers a bribe to or intimidates any person acting under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone in order to induce him not to perform his duty;
- (24) Interferes with the arrest or assists the escape of any person about to be arrested under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone;
- (25) Acquires by gift or purchase any military equipment or war material belonging to the Allied Forces;
- (26) Knowingly makes any false statement to any member of the Allied Forces in connection with any matter of official concern;
- (27) Wrongfully receives or has in his possession property of the Allied Forces or any member thereof;
- (28) Does any act to the prejudice of good order or the safety or security of the Allied Forces or any member thereof;

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ARTICLE III

SECTION 1. CONSPIRACY, ADVISING OR ASSISTING VIOLATION.

Anyone who conspires to do any act constituting an offense under this proclamation or any other proclamation or order issued by or under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone, or who advises, assists in, or procures the commission of any such act shall be punishable as a principal.

SECTION 2. ATTEMPTS.

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An attempt to do any act which constitutes an offense under this proclamation, proclamation or any other proclamation or order issued by or under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone, shall likewise constitute an offense which shall be punishable to the same extent as though the act had been committed.

HEADQUARTERS

GENERAL ORDER)  
NO. )

WHEREAS the following area has been designated as a Military Zone of the Allied Forces

and

the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone is duly authorized and empowered to make and issue such orders and regulations as are necessary for the proper control of said Military Zone

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- (7) Assists any of the enemy armed forces to evade capture;
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- (9) Steals any property of the Allied Forces or of any person belonging to the Allied Forces to the aggregate value of more than 10,000 lire;



- (10) Seizes, destroys or damages any war material belonging to the Allied Forces with intent to interfere with military operations or the safety of the Allied Forces;
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- (16) Seizes any nurse or other woman serving with the Allied Forces or assaults any such nurse or other woman with intent to commit rape;
- (17) Wilfully does any act in aid of the enemy or hostile to or endangering the safety of the Allied Forces;
- Whosoever is convicted by a Military Court, or both, as the court may determine.

## ARTICLE II

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destroys or damages any facility or installation of any such service;

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ARTICLE II

OFFENSES AGAINST THE ALLIED FORCES PUNISHABLE BY FINE OR IMPRISONMENT

Any person who:

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- (23) offers a bribe to or solicits any person acting under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said military zone in order to induce him not to perform his duty;
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shall, upon conviction by military court, be liable to punishment by such fine of imprisonment, or both, as the court shall direct.

ARTICLE III

SECTION 1. OBSTRUCTION, OBSCURING OR MISLEADING VIOLATION.

Anyone who conspires to do any act constituting an offense under this proclamation or any other proclamation or order issued by or under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said military zone, or who advises, assists in or procures the commission of any such act shall be punishable as a principal.

SECTION 2. ATTEMPT.

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#### SECTION 1. CONSPIRACY, ADMISSING OR ASSISTING VIOLATION.

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#### SECTION 2. ATTEMPTS.

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- (6) Assists a prisoner of war to escape or assists or conceals any prisoner of war after escape;
- (7) Assists any of the enemy armed forces to evade capture;
- (8) Enters or is found within any place or area designated as a forbidden area either by the posting of a sign, the presence of sentries, without a pass specifically requiring him to be there;
- (9) Steals any property of the Allied Forces or of a person belonging to the Allied Forces to the value of more than 10,000 lire;

- (10) Removes, destroys or damages any war material belonging to the Allied Forces with intent to interfere with military operations or the safety of the Allied Forces;
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- (13) Interferes with the operation of any public service or utility, including water supply, electric light and power, gas, sanitation or similar services, or destroys or damages any facility or installation of any such service;
- (14) Kills any member of the Allied Forces;
- (15) Assaults any member of the Allied Forces with intent to kill or inflict serious bodily harm;
- (16) Seizes any nurse or other woman serving with the Allied Forces or assaults any such nurse or other woman with intent to coerce it rape;
- (17) Willfully does any act in aid of the enemy or hostile to or endangering the safety of the Allied Forces;
- Whoever is convicted by a Military Court, or liable to punishment by death or by imprisonment, or fine, or both, as the court may determine.



- (15) Assaults any member of the Allied Forces with intent to kill or inflict serious bodily harm;
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ARTICLE II

OFFENSES AGAINST THE ALLIED FORCES PUNISHABLE BY FINE OR IMPRISONMENT

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- (21) Utters any speech or words hostile or disrespectful toward the United States or Great Britain, the forces of either, or any members thereof, or to the Government of any other of the United Nations;

- (22) Assaults any member of the Allied Forces;
- (23) Offers a bribe to or intimidates any person acting under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone in order to induce him not to perform his duty;
- (24) Interferes with the arrest or assists the escape of any person about to be arrested under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone;
- (25) Acquires by gift or purchase any military equipment or war material belonging to the Allied Forces;
- (26) Knowingly makes any false statement to any member of the Allied Forces in connection with any matter of official concern;
- (27) Wrongfully receives or has in his possession property of the Allied Forces or any member thereof;
- (28) Does any act to the prejudice of good order or the safety or security of the Allied Forces or any member thereof;

shall, upon conviction by Military Court; be liable to punishment by such fine or imprisonment, or both, as the court shall direct.

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Anyone who conspires to do any act constituting an offense under this proclamation or any other proclamation or order issued by or under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone, or who advises, assists in or procures the commission of any such act shall be punishable as a principal.

##### SECTION 2. ATTEMPTS.

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An attempt to do any act which constitutes an offense under this proclamation or any other proclamation or order issued by or under the authority of the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone, shall likewise constitute an offense which shall be punishable to the same extent as though the act had been committed.

HEADQUARTERS

GENERAL ORDER)  
NO. )

WHEREAS the following area has been designated as a Military Zone of the Allied Forces

and  
the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone am duly authorized and empowered to make and issue such orders and regulations as are necessary for the proper control of said Military Zone

NOW THEREFORE; as such Commanding Officer I hereby make and issue the following order which shall become effective throughout said Military Zone as of the date hereof:

ARTICLE I

Offences Against the Allied Forces Which May be Punished by Death.

Any person who:

- (1) Serves the enemy as a spy or harbors or aids an enemy spy;
- (2) Communicates with the enemy or with any person within territory under their control in any manner or on any subject whatever;
- (3) Sends to any person anywhere any communication giving any information whatever concerning the Allied Forces; or receives any such communication and fails promptly to report the same to the Commanding Officer of said Military Zone.

(4) Bears arms against the Allied Forces;

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- (4) Bears arms against the Allied Forces;
- (5) Willfully misleads any troops of the Allied Forces in the performance of their duties;
- (6) Assists a prisoner of war to escape or assists or conceals any prisoner of war after escape;
- (7) Assists any of the enemy armed forces to evade capture;
- (8) Enters or is found within any place or area designated as a forbidden area either by the posting of a sign or the presence of sentries, without a pass specifically authorizing him to be there;
- (9) Steals any property of the Allied Forces or of any person belonging to the Allied Forces to the aggregate value of more than 10,000 lire;

- (10) Hides, destroys or removes any war material belonging to the Allied Forces with intent to interfere with military operations or the safety of the Allied Forces;
- (11) Interferes with communication by mail, courier, telegraph, telephone, cable, or otherwise, or destroys or damages any facility of communication;
- (12) Interferes with transportation by railroad, road, sea or air or otherwise, or destroys or damages any facility of transportation;
- (13) Interferes with the operation of any public service or utility, including water supply, electric light and power, gas, sanitation or similar services, or destroys or damages any facility or installation of any such service;
- (14) Kills any member of the Allied Forces;
- (15) Assaults any member of the Allied Forces with intent to kill or inflict serious bodily harm;
- (16) Rapes any nurse or other woman serving with the Allied Forces or assaults any such nurse or other woman with intent to commit rape;
- (17) Willfully does any act in aid of the enemy or hostile to or endangering the safety of the Allied Forces;
- Whoever upon conviction by a military court, be liable to punishment by death or by imprisonment, or fine, or both, as the court may determine.

## ARTICLE II

- destroys or damages any facility or installation of any such service;
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OFFENSES AGAINST THE ALLIED FORCES PUNISHABLE BY FINE OR IMPRISONMENT.  
Any person who:

- (18) Gives false evidence before a military Tribunal;
- (19) Steals any property of the Allied Forces or of any member thereof of a value not in excess of 10,000 lire;
- (20) Publishes or circulates or has in his possession with intent to publish or circulate, any printed or written matter in the interest of the enemy or its armed forces or hostile, detrimental, or disrespectful to the Government of the United States or Great Britain, the Allied Forces, or to the Government of any other of the United Nations;
- (21) Utters any speech or words hostile or disrespectful toward the United States or Great Britain, the Armed Forces of either, or any members thereof, or the Government of any other of the United Nations;

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