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1A-13 24 Feb 44 PBS 15831 From HQ PBS Rewards to individuals for capturing enemy personnel.

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REAR HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
Public Safety Sub-Commission

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3 April 1944.

SUBJECT : S.I.B. Informants.

TO : Regional Public Safety Officer  
Region 2.

1. With reference to your letter PS 17 dated 27th March 44,  
no ACG fund exists for paying S.I.B. informants in connection with  
offences against Allied Forces.

2. It would seem that the proper procedure would be for S.I.B.  
to apply for payment through their own channels.

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PAUL G. KIRK  
Colonel Inf.  
Chief Public Safety  
Sub-Commission

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
REGION 2. HEADQUARTERS

Your ref \_\_\_\_\_ OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL POLICE OFFICER  
My ref P.S. 17  
Subject Rewards-Informants. 27 March 44  
To :- Chief Public Safety  
SubCommission  
Rear Headquarters.A.C.C.

The o/c S.I.B. Brindisi has enquired of Provincial Police Officer Brindisi if A.C.C. Public Safety Subcommission has any machinery for paying Rewards to Informants' in connection with offences committed against Allied Forces.

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May I therefore/informed if there is an Informants Fund in existence and if so the directions regarding disbursement of rewards.

*Poxhead*  
Captain  
Regional Police Officer.

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AG 384.2 BPGBI (17 Feb 44) 1st Wpr. Ind.  
HEADQUARTERS PENINSULAR BASE SECTION, APO 782, 24 February 1944.

TO: See Distribution.

1. For compliance.
2. The Commanding Officer of FWE 326 will appoint a Staff Intelligence Officer for the purpose of receiving civilians and making payments as outlined in basic communication.
3. Alleged saboteurs and enemy agents will be turned over to the nearest Military Police with instructions that they be carefully guarded and segregated from other prisoners and from each other, and all details, including the names and addresses of any civilians assisting in their capture will be furnished at once to the office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, Peninsular Base Section.

By command of Brigadier General FENCE:

L. F. Nickel

L. F. NICKEL  
Lt. Col., A.S.D.  
Adjutant General

- 1 Incl:  
Adm. Memo. No. 9, AFHQ  
dtd 17 Feb 44, Subject:  
"Rewards for Capture of  
Enemy Personnel Behind  
Allied Lines".

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS  
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:9 February 1944 :

ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM )

17 February 1944

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REWARDS FOR CAPTURE OF ENEMY PERSONNEL BEHIND ALLIED LINES

Administrative Memoranda Numbers 12, 18, and 19, this headquarters, 1943, are rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

1. Certain rewards will be paid to civilians who by their own means capture or provide information which facilitates the capture of enemy personnel, landed behind Allied lines by parachute, aircraft, glider, submarine or surface craft, or any saboteurs or enemy agents.

2. In order to insure the prompt payment of such rewards the procedure below will be followed:

a. Commanding Officers to include United States Regiments, British Brigades, and separate or independent battalions, will designate a Staff Intelligence Officer as the officer to receive civilians who either offer information or who have by their own means captured any such enemy personnel. Payment will be made on the following scale:

(1) To any civilian who, by his own means, captures any such enemy personnel alive. Frs. 2,500, or Lira 5,000.

(2) To any civilian who, by his own means, captures any such enemy personnel, the enemy being killed in the process of capture: Frs. 1,500, or Lira 3,000.

(3) To any civilian who, by his information, facilitates the capture of any such personnel: such reward as is deemed to be sufficient but not exceeding Frs. 1,000, or Lira, 2,000.

(4) To any civilian or group of civilians who, by his or their means, recaptures or, by his or their information, facilitates the recapture of an escaped prisoner of war, or who returns an escaped prisoner to appropriate military authorities: Frs. 1,000, or Lira 2,000. Note:-- Only one payment to be made for the return of any one prisoner. In cases where one individual appears instrumental in returning a group of prisoners the total reward will not exceed 1,000 Frs. or 2,000 Lira. Prisoners of war as defined herein do not include Italian prisoners of war organized into Italian Service Units who may be A.M.O.L. from their unit.

b. The Intelligence Officer should provide himself with sufficient funds by drawing them.

(1) In the case of United States Units from the nearest Finance Officer, using Class 'A' Agent Officer method. This Officer can immediately make the necessary payments, accounting for the funds on the



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OCS Form 6 (Confidential Voucher), such voucher to be supported by his signed certificate authorizing the payment.

(2) In the case of British formations or units from the nearest Field Cashier, opening an Imprest Account for the purpose, Payments being supported by his signed certificate and a receipt from the recipient where possible.

The certificate in either case, will read substantially as follows:

I certify the sum of Frs. (or Lira) \_\_\_\_\_ was expended for special services rendered to United Nations Forces in accordance with instructions contained in Administrative Memorandum Number \_\_\_\_\_ AFHQ \_\_\_\_\_ 1944.

c. (1) United States Finance Officers will accept these vouchers when the Intelligence Officers make periodic returns to him, and will replace such amounts as have been expended. This will keep the Intelligence Officers' funds at levels agreed by the Finance Officers and the Intelligence Officers concerned.

(2) British Imprest Accounts with certificates will be forwarded to Command Paymaster as follows:

In ENAF - to the Command Paymaster, Number 2 Command Pay Office, Algiers.  
In CMF - to the Command Paymaster, Number 8 Command Pay Office, CMF.

3. The substance of paragraph 2a above may be disseminated freely regardless of the classification of this document. (AG 000.5-3 GBI-AGM)

By command of General WILSON:

/s/ H. V. Roberts  
H. V. ROBERTS,  
Colonel, AGD,  
Adjutant General.

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