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Embassy of the French Republic in Italy n. 721

Roms, 21 July 1945

My dear Admiral,

at the meeting of the Advisory Council for Italy, I enclose a copy of a correspondence which was exchanged between the Displaced Persons Sub-Commission of the Allied Commission on one side and the French Repatriation Mission and the Office of the French Member of the Allied, Commission, on the Other.

The motive of this correspondence was the request made for 6 French civilians entrusted with an economic mission (investigations about the situation of French concerns in Italy) to come to Italy. This matter was handled by the Displaced Persons Bub Commission for the Allied Commission. Without insisting on the terms of the letter sent to our representative in the Allied Commission, it seems to me that there are questions of principle on which we are very badly informed, and about which we should have more information, to avoid more difficulties in future and act according to the procedure which must have been regularly organized by the allied military an horities.

The point is to know what is to be done to enable allied civilian citizens who may be either diplomatists, or officials entrusted with a mission in Italy, or private persons who come to Italy on business, to come to Italy.

Are there cases when the vise of the Italian Authorities is necessary? What procedure is to be followed to obtain the vise of the military authorities? Is it still necessary to have the requests go through SHAEF to be transmitted to A.F.H.Q., Gaserta?

Is there any distinction to be made between allied citizens who come to made on a trip and those who want to settle down in the country? You will see that among the six requests which have been the cause of this correspondence, one concerns the case of a Frenchman who means to settle down in Italy, while the five others only come for a short time.

I remain, my dear Admiral,

Yours very truly,

s. M. Couve de Murville

Admiral Stone Chief Commissioner A.C.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION Public Safety Sub-Commission APO 394 MEMCRANDUM FOR LT. COL. BONHAM-CARTER Tel: 478800 27 July 1945 AC/14022/3/PS RE : Attached Correspondence. All civilians (including Diplomats) travelling from France to Italy must be in possession of Allied Force Permits. Application for such permits should be made in France to the Travel Permit Office, SHAEF Mission. An Italian visa is not required. 3. SHAEF refer all applications to AFHQ, who is the sole authority for entry into Italy. The permits, if granted, are issued on behalf of APHQ. Before authorizing the issue of permits, AFHQ refer the applications to this Headquarters for comment. The Italian Government is consulted in appropriate cases. Application for travel for purely personal (other than strongly compassionate) reasons, or for private cormercial purposes, are not favourably considered. With regard to the six applications in question, 7. it would seem that five of the applications with business reasons would be approved if the travel is in the allied interest as apposed to purely private interests. The application from a person wishing to take up residence in Italy would be refused. 1873

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8. It is possible that in the very near future, perhaps less than 15 days, the military permit system will be abolished and the civilian visa system will be revived. It will then be possible for French citizens holding visas issued by the Italian consuls in France to enter Italy without military permits.

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Wm. C. BALLANCE, Major.

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30 June 1945

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SUBJECT: Applications for Travel to Italy from Territory under SHAEF Control.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission, Fublic Safety Sub-Commission, AFO 394, U. S.Army.

1. Reference your letter AC/14022/3/PS dated June 27,

2. The agencies requested are.

Travel Permit Office,
SHAEF Mission, (FRANCE)
(BELGIUM) As applicable.
(HOLLAND)

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, 1-2:

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION Public Safety Sub-Commission APO 394 4A

AC/14022/3/PS

Tel : 478800

27 June 1945

SUBJECT : Applications for travel to Italy from territory under SHEAF control

TO : AF.HQ. G2 (CI) Section.

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- 1. Will you please advise as to which agencies in the territory under SHARF control application may be made for Allied Force Permits for travel to Italy.
- 2. The information asked for in paragraph 1 is required particularly in the case of France.

Major Win. C. Ballance.

to

JOHN W. CHAPMAN Colonel, J.A.J.D. Director.

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Elsewhere, particularly in neutral countries, applications may be forwarded through Italian charmels to this Headquarters, for onward transmission to AFHS.

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