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APPOINTMENT OF OFFICIALS, POLICY
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SUBJECT: Supply of Italian Prefectural Officials.

TO : ALL ROs and SCMOs.

1. This directive is intended to deal only with prefectural appointments below those of Prefect and Vice Prefect. It does not in any way affect the present practices with regard to the appointment of Prefects and Vice Prefects which will be dealt with in accordance with existing directives.
2. Owing to the shortage of Italian trained personnel, only key positions of a Prefecture can in future be supplied by officials sent from ROME. Such key positions are:

Councillors ("Consiglieri")
Chief Accountants ("Ragionieri Cap")

For the same reason, the normal complement of Councillors at a Prefecture will be limited to two, save in a few of the most important provinces.

3. For other administrative positions, the Prefect must use every endeavour to recruit temporary employees ("avventisi") in the locality. The rules governing the engagement and conditions of service of such temporary employees are well known to career Prefects and Vice-Prefects. Only if it is impossible to recruit a temporary employee should application be made for an official to be sent from ROME.

4. The remainder of this circular deals with the procedure to be adopted in future when it is desired to have an administrative official be low the rank of Prefect and Vice Prefect sent from ROME to fill a vacancy at the Prefecture.

5. The Prefect will in future report direct to the Minister of the Interior, giving particulars of the officials already in service and stating his requirements.

6. All such communications from the Prefect to the Ministry must, however, be sent through AO channels. The necessity for strictly observing these channels must be firmly impressed on the Prefect and measures taken to see that he adheres to them.

7. ROs/SCMOs and ROs will place on all such communications a stamp or other indication containing the words "formal" or "soon" to indicate that the proper channels have been observed. ROs/SCMOs and ROs are not required to examine in detail the Prefect's proposals or to express any opinion on them, unless they have some special reason for doing so.

1st April, 1945.

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7. IOs/SAOs and Ras will place on all such communications a stamp or other indication containing the words "forwarded" or "Seen" to indicate that the proper channels have been observed. ROs/SAOs and POs are not required to examine in detail the Prefect's proposals or to express any opinion on them, unless they have some special reason for doing so.

8. An official designated by the Ministry of the Interior for service at a Prefecture will report to Local Government Sub-Commission for travel orders. The Sub-Commission will dispatch him to Regional/Army HQ, as at present. Every such official will bring with him a letter of introduction in the form given in the Appendix, a copy of which will also be sent by post.

9. Facilities no longer exist for screening every such official before dispatch, as in the past. Instead, use will be made of the operation procedure for which the Italian Government is responsible (see the statement as to operation in para. 3 of the Form in the Appendix). No official will be sent for duty in Military Government Territory without either this operation certificate or having been screened.

10. If a reasonably adequate staff is not obtainable by these methods or if there is unreasonable delay in obtaining it, the IO should report specifically

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on the facts, and this HQ will take the matter up with the Italian Government. For a variety of reasons, however, considerable delay is to be expected. Correspondence between HQ officers in the field and this HQ is to officials below the grade of Vice-Préfet Inspector should be kept to the minimum.

G. R. UFFONI, Brig.
VP CA SECTION.

Appendix attached.

Distribution:-

RC Toscana Region	(10)	(For RPs)
RC Umbria-Marche Region	(10)	"
SCAO AMG 5 Army	(10)	"
SCAO AMG 6 Army	(10)	"
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Hq 4 Corps	(2)	
Office of M. Comm.	(2)	
Economic Section	(6)	
Civil Affairs Section	(2)	
Public Safety S/C	(1)	
Public Health S/C	(1)	
Legal S/C	(1)	
Patriot Branch	(1)	
Dispers S/C	(1)	
Education S/C	(1)	
ATA & S/C	(1)	
RC EMILIA REGION	(10)	
RC LIGURIA REGION	(10)	
RC PIEMONTE REGION	(10)	
RC LOMBARDIA REGION	(15)	
RC VENEZIA REGION	(20)	

APPENDIX

MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR
 Direction General of General
 Affairs and Personnel

Rate 1945

Section Division

File No. Enclosures

To the
 ALLIED COMMISSION
 Local Government Sub Commission

SUBJECT: Official for the Prefecture of

1. The bearer of this letter is:

Surname

Title and rank

Grade

2. After correspondence between this Ministry and the Prefect through the medium of the Allied Commission, it is considered necessary to send this official to the said Prefecture to undertake the functions of

*3. This official has been submitted to operation and assigned

(no case for sanctions)* The time limit for appeals has expired.
 (censure)

OR

+3. This official is not liable to operation as he does not come within any of the conditions envisaged by the law as to sanctions against Fascism.

4. May arrangements please be made for him to travel to the said

Prefecture.

FOR THE MINISTER

NOTE: (1) Delete at + the words inapplicable
 (2) For Italian translation, see back.

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Local Government Sub Commission

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Surname Title and rank Grade

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OR

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(2) For Italian translation, see back.

1st Indorsement

Ref

TO DG/SCAO

Date 1945

1. Arrangements have been made for the above-mentioned official to travel to your HQ by

2. This copy is sent with the official concerned as an introduction.
Another This copy is being sent to you by post.
Another

Director
Local Government Sub Commission

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MINISTERO DELL'INTERNO
Direzione Generale degli Affari
Generali e del Personale.

Roma 1945

Sezione Divisione

Prot. No.

ALLA: COMMISSIONE ALLIATA
Sottocommissione Governo Locale

OGGETTO: Funzionario per la Prefettura di

1. Il latore di questa lettera è :

<u>Cognome</u>	<u>Titolo e Nome</u>	<u>Grado</u>
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2. In seguito a corrispondenza intercorsa tra questo Ministero ed il Prefetto per il tramite della Commissione Allata, si consiglia necessario inviare questo funzionario alla predetta Prefettura per assumere le funzioni di

3. Il funzionario è stato sottoposto a giudizio di opinione e giudicato con : (non luogo a sanzioni.) + I termini utili per i ricorsi sono scaduti.

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+3. Il funzionario non risulta suscettibile di giudizio di opinione in quanto non rientra in alcune delle ipotesi previste dalla legge per le sanzioni contro il fascismo.

4. Si prega di provvedere al trasporto del funzionario alla sede della Prefettura.

PEL MINISTRO

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Cognome Titolo e Nome Grado ..

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4. Si prega di provvedere al trasporto del funzionario alla sopradetta Prefettura.

PEL MINISTRO

NOTA: {1} Cancellare ove non necessario
{2} Per traduzione **Inglese** v. fini a lungo.

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

3/18/43

24 Sep 44

SUBJECT : Communications re Italian Officials
for newly liberated territory.

TO : SCAG's, 5th and 8th Armies.

Will you please direct that communications relating to the
sending forward of Italian officials for appointment in the undermentioned
government services in newly recovered territory will be addressed to Admin
Sec and not to any particular Sub Comm.

Local Government, Police, Medical, Legal and Education.

Public Safety Sub-Commission
Form: For Local Information

Form:	DATE
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D. D. P. S.	
Ex. Officer Copies to:	10th Air Regions for information to PS, PH, Interior, Legal and Education Sub-Commissions.
PC-106	Admin Sec (2)
Prisons	
Fire & C. D.	
Reg. & Licensing	
App. Office	

G.R. UPJOHN Brig.
V.F. Admin Sec.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

29 August 1944

ACO/14041/PS

SUBJECT : RAGUSA, Giuseppe.

TO : Ragusa Giuseppe, Assistente Servizi Speciali
Anticendi.

1. Your letter of 19 August is acknowledged, and sympathy is felt for you in your difficult position.

2. All such matters as this should be addressed to the Chief of your Department as this HQ does not appoint Italian Officials in Liberated Italy. The Italian Government is responsible for such matters.

3. Your letter is not being forwarded to the Minister as it is thought that your action in writing to this HQ otherwise than through the Director General would not be approved and indeed might well militate against your future.

Johnson
for PAUL G. KIRK,
Colonel, Inf.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

GHLM/ngd

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

4/6.6/43

31 Jul 44

SUBJECT : Pools of Italian Government Officials for Forward Areas.

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission.
Public Health Sub-Commission.
Education Sub-Commission.
Economic Section (3) for Public Works, Agriculture, Finance SCs.

- 1 In accordance with para 4(2) of Minutes of Meeting held on 21 Jul at this HQ to discuss the above subject, will you please inform this Section whether you have been able to get the necessary Italian Officials earmarked and the number that are at present in your pool, by grades.
- 2 It will be appreciated if from time to time you will please advise of any additions or subtractions to the list, so that an up to date status can be held in this office.


G.R. UPJOHN, Col.
A/Head, Adm Sec.

Copy to: Interior Sub-Commission.

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MINUTES OF MEETING

1000 hrs

21 July 1944

Present Col. G.R. UPJOHN (Chairman)

Brig PARKINSON

Col. KIRK

Col. SPICER

Col. WILMER

Col. CRIPPS

Lt. Col. SMITH

Lt. Col. WHITE

PM

PS

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LEU

ADM

ED

ADM

Lt. Col. CARROLL

Lt. JENNY

Lt. HARTMAN

Lt. DICKIE

Comdr LAWLER

Maj BASCOCK

Maj THOMPSON

PC

PW

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1. Col. Upjohn explained that at the meeting held on 19 July at Adv. HQ. A.A.I. with representatives of 5th & 8th Armies AMG and Regions IV (2) V, VIII, IX, that a request was made for the organization of pools of replacements for essential civilian administrative officials to take over vacancies in towns in the North.

2. Col. Spicer who had had considerable experience of supplying Prefects pointed out some of the practical difficulties to be met with in persuading officials to leave their comforts in Rome and move North. He had found it utterly impossible to get officials to move with less than 48 hrs notice.

3. Brig Parkinson instanced one or two cases where he had sent up Italian Medical Officers in response to requests but in the meantime the original official had reappeared and the official sent up had returned home. This had made it very difficult to persuade other officials to go up as they thought they would only have 3 weeks of discomfort and be returned home.

Col. Upjohn said he would ask SACs, AMG, and Regional Commissioners to appoint officials sent up in response to requests even if the original holder of an office reappeared in the meantime.

4. It was finally agreed:

(1) Col Upjohn would ask the A/CO to write a letter to Bomohi stressing the importance of having officials ready to start at the earliest possible moment and the Prime Minister's cooperation in the scheme.

(2) Sub-Commissioners as under would forthwith see their respective Minister with a view to arranging lists of at least 5 and if possible more officials as set out below in Rome who would be ready to move on 48 hours notice to the North. Sub-Commissioners would be

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Col. CHIPPS
Lt. Col. SMITH
Lt. Col. WHITE
ADM Comdr LAWLER
ED Maj BARCOCK
ADM Maj THOMPSON
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ECON

1. Col. Upjohn explained that at the meeting held on 13 July at Adv. HQ. A.A.I. with representatives of 5th & 8th Armies AMG and Regions IV (2) V, VIII, IX, that a request was made for the organization of pools of replacements for essential civilian administrative officials to take over vacancies in town in the North.
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 - (2) Sub-Commissions as under would forthwith see their respective Minister with a view to arranging lists of at least 8 and if possible more officials as set out below in Rome who would be ready to move on 48 hours notice to the North. Sub-Commissions would be responsible for screening the officials and for seeing that they did not leave Rome and would be available on 48 hrs notice. As personnel in the list are used up Sub-Commissions must ask for more names.
 - (3) Admin Section would be responsible for arranging transport for any officials going North and for communicating the needs of SCAGs, AMG to Sub-Commissions.

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SUB-COMMISSION

Interior

Public Health

Finance

Agriculture

Public Safety

Public Utilities

MINISTRY

Interior

Interior

Finance

Agriculture

Interior

OFFICIALPrefect to Vice
PrefettoProvincial Medical
CommissionerIntendenti di
FinanzaIspettorato della
Agricoltura

Questore

Genio Civile

MR Col. Spicer pointed out that the Chief di Gabinetto was not an official as such but was merely someone on the Prefect's staff whom the Prefect chose to appoint as such.

list being prepared by Division of Public Security,
22nd July 1942
L. J. J. J.

HEADQUARTERS,
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,
APO 394

Regional Control and Military Government Section.

Ref: 350/47/26.

18th July 1944.

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM

NUMBER

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APPOINTMENTS TO THE OFFICE OF PREFETTO
IN MILITARY GOVERNMENT TERRITORY

1. This Memorandum is supplementary to Executive Memorandum No. 12 dated 12th June 1944.

2. Since that date and consequent upon the fall of Rome, a number of fully qualified Prefects have become available for forward provinces. The Italian Government now represents that these officials should retain the title of their rank and not be appointed as Reggente.

3. Paragraph 3 of Executive Memorandum No. 12 is cancelled and the following substituted:-

"3. In future Allied Military Government appointments the title "Prefetto" will only be used if the appointee is already of the rank of Prefect. If the candidate selected is of junior rank or is not a career official, the title "Prefetto Reggente" will be used. The Italian Government lay great stress on the use of the word "Reggente" in such cases.

"3A. When a candidate is sent forward from the rear, Interior Sub-Commission will, when moving up the candidate, advise the Regional Commissioner or Senior Civil Affairs Officer as to the proper title. When it is proposed to appoint a local man, the Regional Commissioner or Senior Civil Affairs Officer will first inform the Sub-Commission, by telegram if necessary, and give all requisite particulars, so that the Sub-Commission can advise in such cases also. Care will be taken not to give a candidate who may only be qualified to be appointed "Reggente" the impression that he is going to receive the substantive rank of "Prefetto".

"3B. When the appointment is that "Prefetto Reggente" that title will invariably be used in formal document and official communications, both by the Reggente and by officers of Allied Military Government; but there is no objection to the Reggente being addressed or referred to in ordinary

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4. When the appointment is that of "Prefetto", the words "Regent" and "Reggente" in the form shown at Appendix "A" to Executive Memorandum No. 12 will be deleted.

DISTRIBUTION: SCAG, AMG 5 Army
SCAG, AMG 8 Army
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R.C., Region V.
R.C., Region VIII.
R.C., Region IX.
R.C., ROME Region.
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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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

13 February 1944

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)

NUMBER 12)

To:- Regional Commissioners, Regions III, IV and V.
S.C.A.C.s 5th and 6th Armies.

FORM FOR APPOINTMENTS OF PREFECTS

All new appointments to the office of Prefect, made under the authority of Allied Military Government, shall be made in accordance with the attached form.

Norman E. Fiske

NORMAN E. FISKE
Colonel Cavalry
Deputy Executive Commissioner

DISTRIBUTION:

Region III (4)
Region IV (4)
Region V (4)
SCAO 5 Army (5)
SCAO 8 Army (3)
Spares (10)

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS

Date _____

OFFICIAL ORDER

NO. _____

WHEREAS, by a provision made this day, _____ has
been called upon to assume another office; and

WHEREAS, it has, of a consequence, become necessary to make
provision for the appointment of a new Prefect for the said
Province;

BY VIRTUE OF the powers conferred upon me, I, _____
_____, Regional Commissioner for _____

O R D E R

That _____ be appointed to carry out the
functions of Prefect of the Province of _____ as from
today's date with the powers inherent in such office.

Regional Commissioner

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Legal Subcommittee
APO 394

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REFERENCE : ACC/1010/2/1.

2 June 1944

SUBJECT: Appointments of Commissioners for administration of various undertakings.

TO : See Distribution List.

1. It has been noted that in the past many decrees have been published in the Gazzetta Ufficiale undertaking to appoint Commissioners and administrative heads for various Italian companies, institutions, etc. with power to act within the entire "liberated" territory i.e. in territory including the AMG zone. In at least one case the Commission has been expressly given power to administer a plant located in AMG territory (Decree of the Chief of Government 17 Feb. 1944 published in G.U. No. 22 of 26 April 1944).

2. It is hardly necessary to point out that none of the aforesaid appointments has any legal effect in AMG territory unless implemented by Executive Commissioner's endorsement published in the G.U. or otherwise made effective by the competent A.M.C. authority. It is for the individual Subcommissions to bring this fact to the attention of their respective opposite numbers in the Italian Government and to initiate whenever necessary the procedure for implementation in regard to decrees containing appointments which concern their respective field of control.

G. R. Wilson

G. R. WILSON
Colonel
Chief Legal Officer.

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HEADQUARTERS
 AND FIFTH ARMY (FIELD)
 A.P.O. 4th U.S. ARMY

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 31st May 1944.

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SUBJECT: Civil Prisons Administration.

TO: Public Safety Sub-Commission,
 Rear H.Q., A.G.C.

1. With the advance of the armies into former enemy held territory, the provision of Civil Public Safety Officials has to be considered so that civil government may operate as soon as it is compatible with the military situation to do so.

2. With your co-operation, a prison director has been found for Littoria Province. It would be appreciated if this H.Q. could be advised whether the new man, Dott. SOMMA, Angelo, from NISIDA Prison, will be responsible for the whole of Region 4, exclusive of Rome City, as, if not, Directors will required to be found for Frosinone, Provincial Rome, and the other provinces of Region 4.

3. Likewise, there will require to be appointed Questori and Directors of Vigili Fuoco, the latter not being of such great urgency, but, nevertheless, important.

Could personnel be found by the Italian Government, for these posts?

For the Commanding General:

H.B. BATES,
 Lt. Col., USA,
 Chief of Staff,
 A.M.C. Fifth Army.

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Appointments by the Italian Government
as to which

The Allied Government reserve the right to be consulted
listed under appropriate Sub-Commission

LEGAL

First presidents of Courts of Appeal
Councillors of Cassation and Appeal
Procuratori Generali
Sostituti di Procuratori Generali
Presidenti di Tribunali
Procuratori del Re
Primo Pretori (of town of pop 50,000)

PUBLIC SAFETY

Legion Commanders CC RR
Legion Commanders Guardia di Finanza
Questori Public Security Service
Regional Directors Prison Service
Commandants (and upwards) Fire Service

INTERIOR

Prefects
Vice Prefects
Vice Prefect Inspectors
Consiglieri Primo Grado
Consiglieri Secondo Grado
First Secretary to Prefect
Special Secretary
Director of Religious Affairs
Sindaci } of communes of pop 15,000
Town Clerk }

EDUCATION

Rectors
Professors (titular)
Presidi of Faculties
Academy Inspectors of Schools (local
and centralized)
Heads of Divisions in Ministry of
Education.
Provveditori
Presidi of Schools
Inspectors of Schools
University lecturers

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Replacement of Italian Officials in AMG Territory

1. It is appreciated that when a vacancy exists in AMG areas for the appointment of a senior Italian official, the Regional Commissioner will frequently be at a loss to find a candidate of sufficient experience and seniority within his own region to fill such a post. Instances have occurred in which under these circumstances, officials have been appointed to a status far beyond their normal expectations of promotion.

2. In most cases when such a vacancy occurs, a qualified replacement is available elsewhere but through lack of information, the R.C. is not able to give him consideration. There must, for example, be many qualified persons in King's Italy who should be available for employment in AMG areas.

3. It is suggested that this problem of demand and supply be co-ordinated with the appropriate Ministries of the Italian Government by requesting them to recommend eligible candidates for appointment.

It is anticipated that they would be more than willing to co-operate, since the proper selection of Italian officials would be of long term advantage to them, having regard to the time when they themselves will have to administer these officials.

4. If, when such a vacancy occurs in future, the Regional Commissioner will refer to this HQ, submitting also the particulars of any local candidate whom he wishes to consider, it would be possible to ascertain from the Italian Government what other qualified persons are available for selection. The appointment would be made by the R.C. subject to the necessary confirmation required from this HQ. Such a method would ensure that the selection would be made from competent and acceptable candidates, and, furthermore that the choice would no longer be limited to an otherwise restricted field.

5. The following official appointments are those which are recommended for inclusion in such a scheme.

Prefect
Vice Prefect
Questore
Vice Questore
Director of Food Supply
Transport, Employment, Postal Services.
Maritime Director
Rector and Heads of Universities
All Judicial Officials
Intendenti di Finanza
Regioniere capo (Chief Accountant)
Comandanti of Fire Brigades

6. The mechanics of such a project could be accomplished by reference of such requests from RC's to the appropriate sub-commissions who would contact the Italian Ministry concerned and advise the R.C. accordingly.

Original
Sent to Lord Stanbury
in 21st March 1944
R.W.

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and destroyed
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M.C.

REAR HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION.
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO. 394

ACC/14041/PS

RMJM/ab
15 February, 1944.

Subject : Appointments and Removals of Senior
Italian Officials in Regions I, II and VI.

To : Vice-President,
Administrative Section.

The suggested levels at which appointments and removals
of senior Italian officials should be the subject of prior
discussion with ACC are as follows:

1. Carabinieri Reali: Legion Commanders (Colonels) and
upwards. 8 appointments affected.
2. Guardia di Finanza: Legion Commanders and upwards.
3 appointments affected.
3. Pubblica Sicurezza. Questori. 22-25 possible appoint-
ments, including Regional Directors of Public Safety.
4. Prison Service. Regional Directors, if appointed.
Three only.
5. Fire Service. Commandants and upwards. Not more than
25 appointments affected.

PAUL G. KIRK
Colonel, Infantry,
Chief, Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

Note added by Col. Martin:

The numbers given represent the maximum which would be affected
in A.C.C. territory only. Many of the appointments are satisfactorily
filled and no change is contemplated.

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