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CONTROL OF CIVILIAN MOVEMENT
AUG. 1944 - JUN. 1945

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Control of Civilian Movement.

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THIS FOLDER
CONTAINS
FROM AUG 1944
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CONTAINS

C.A.S.

Re: 1A.

The matter under has been taken up with
 R.C., Regis Australia Region, as in 2A.

Reply (3A) to R.C., Ottawa, is submitted for signature,
 if approved.

20 December, 1965.

John W. Chapman
 Director Public Safety

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C.A. Section

Re 7A. Draft letter at 9A submitted for approval.

Re 8A: correspondence at 10A and 11A submitted for
 signature if approved.

Director Public Safety

27 January, 1965.

CT Section

Re: 59A

submitted

the reply at 60A is
for signature & approval.

[Signature]

Colonel.
Director, Public Safety.

28 May, 1945. *[Signature]*

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PS.

Re: 9A. It has now been agreed with Gen Sec that they will accept responsibility for seeing that all their S/C's comply with instructions & orders and CA will do the same for its S/C's. The regulation of civilian movements does not greatly concern the Independent S/Cs with the exception of Communications.

Security will be better served if these temporary "cessings" are not broadcast. It would appear to be sufficient that if in future letters such as that of 7A are just submitted on file to Gen Sec. Common information and Ed Sec.

See spotter (Ballman - White) It is understood you will submit a new draft and on return EM-77.

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W.H. H. H.
for Ed Sec

CA Section.

Re: 9A and minute 3.

Amended letter submitted at 12A for signature if approved.

W. H. H. H.
Ed Sec.
Director Public Safety.

7 February 1945. JTB

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Re: 17A. Spoke to AFOS. (Major Nelly-Lewis) 6950
and (Capt Murray) 6 March, 1945, as to whether the information should be transmitted to the States Government. They promised to phone reply.

see spots (Bullman - white)
a new draft and are retained E.M. 777.

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CA Section.

Re: 9A and minute 3.
Amended letter submitted at 12th for
signature if approved.
W. C. Galland
Deputy Public Safety
Director

7 February 1945. 1945

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and (Capt Murray) 6 March, 1945, as to whether the
information should be transmitted to the State
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W. C. Galland May

6 March 1945.

Re: minute 5. AFIS+Q. (Major Ranchcliffe) 'phoned today
to say that letter G41 389.504/11 of 9 February
should be ignored, and no further action taken with
ref to its contents.
W. C. Galland May

7 March, 1945

W. C. Galland
Deputy

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 39-
Office of the Executive Commissioner

19 June 1945

Ref: 800/79/20

SUBJECT: Visits to North by Italian Government Officials

TO : The Presidency of the Council of Ministers,
Italian Government

1. With a view to securing the greatest freedom of movement between North and South, restrictions on travel, as you know, were recently removed (except in respect of the areas set out in my letter 6/43/62 dated 27 May 1945).

2. You will, of course, appreciate that during the existence of Military Government in LIGURIA, PIEMONTE, LOMBARDIA and VENETIA the Regional Commissioners have the duty of coordinating activity in these areas. This task is rendered more difficult unless the Regional Commissioners can be made aware of the visits of Italian Government officials and the purpose of their mission.

3. I should be glad therefore if you would inform all concerned that it would be considered a courtesy, if not a duty, that officials intending to visit the North should give due warning to the appropriate Sub-Commission of this Headquarters and pay a call on the Regional Commissioner concerned on arrival.

For the Chief Commissioner:

[Signature]
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LICURIA REGION

REGIONAL ORDER)

NUMBER 4)

MOVEMENT OF CIVILIANS AND ISSUANCE
OF MOVEMENT OF CIVILIAN PASSES

I, Brigadier M. CARR, C.B.E., M.C., Regional Commissioner for
the Region of Liguria, hereby order as follows:

ARTICLE I.

No person shall:-

- (a) travel within the territory forward of the Security
Control Line or the Prohibited Frontier Zone Line a
distance of more than ten kilometers beyond his place
of residence.

- (b) travel across the Security Control Line or the Prohibited
Frontier Zone Line.

unless such person is in possession of a Movement of Civilians' Pass
authorising such travel and issued by, or under the authority of, the
Allied Military Government.

ARTICLE II.

Section 1. Every request for a pass shall be made by the applicant
in person to the Allied Military Government officer nearest to his
place of residence, or to such other officer, or office, as may be
designated. Applicants for passes must produce identity cards.

Section 2. A pass will only be issued when the purpose of the
journey is of direct benefit to the Allied cause.

Section 3. A pass is valid only for the specific occasion for which it is issued. It may be renewed, but must not be transferred to or be used

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MOVEMENT OF CIVILIANS AND OR MOVEMENT OF CIVILIAN

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Section 2. A pass will only be issued when the purpose of the journey is of direct benefit to the Allied cause.

Section 3. A pass is valid only for the specific occasion, purpose for which it has been issued and must not be transferred to or be used by, any person other than the person to whom it has been issued. Passes may be revoked at any time.

ARTICLE III.

The Provisions of this Order shall not apply to any member of the Italian Armed Forces on specific duty and in possession of identity documents and proper credentials, approved by Headquarters, Allied Commission.

ADM. OFFICER

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CHIEF CLERK

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ARTICLE IV.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this Order shall, on conviction by an Allied Military Court, be liable to imprisonment or fine or both as the Court may determine, and in lieu of or in addition to any other lawful punishment, the Court may, on such conviction, order the forfeiture to the Allied Military Government of any means of conveyance used in connection with or in furtherance of the act constituting the violation of this order.

ARTICLE V.

This Order shall become operative in each Province or part thereof within Military Territory on the date of its first publication therein.

McLennan Boydston
M. CARL.

Brigadier, U.S.A., M.C.,
Regional Commissioner
Liguria Region.

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QUARTIERE GENERALE
GOVERNO MILITARE ALLIATO
PER LA REGIONE DELLA LIGURIA

8 giugno 1945

ORDINE REGIONALE)
:
NUMERO 4)

CIRCOLAZIONE DI CIVILI E RILASCIO
DI PERMESSI DI CIRCOLAZIONE A CIVILI

Io, Brigadiere Generale L. CHAI, C.B.A., M.C., Commissario Regionale
per la Liguria, con la presente ordino quanto segue:

ARTICOLO I.

Nessuno può:

- (a) spostarsi nel territorio situato oltre la linea di Sicurezza
e di Controllo o superare la linea delimitante la zona proibita
di frontiera, per una distanza superiore a 10 chilometri dal
proprio luogo di residenza.
- (b) attraversare la linea di Sicurezza e di Controllo o la linea
delimitante la zona proibita di frontiera.

a meno che si sia in possesso di un permesso di circolazione per civili che
autorizzi i suddetti spostamenti e che sia rilasciato dal Governo Militare
Alliato o sotto l'autorità del medesimo.

ARTICOLO II.

Sezione 1. Ogni richiesta di permesso deve essere fatta personalmente dal
richiedente all'Ufficiale del Governo Militare Alleato più vicino al suo
luogo di residenza ovvero ad altro ufficiale, o ufficio, che sia all'uopo
designato. I richiedenti devono esibire certe di identità.

Sezione 2. Il permesso sarà rilasciato soltanto nei casi in cui lo richieda
il richiedente.

CIRCOLAZIONE DI CIVILI E RILASCIO
DI PERMESSI DI CIRCOLAZIONE A CIVILI

Io, Brigadiere Generale M. Cella, C.B., M.C., Comandante Regionale
per la Liguria, con la presente ordino quanto segue:

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Sezione 2. Il permesso sarà rilasciato soltanto nei casi in cui lo ⁹⁹⁶ nel viaggio sia di diretto vantaggio alle cause degli Alleati.

Sezione 3. I permessi sono validi soltanto per la particolare circostanza e per lo scopo per cui sono stati rilasciati, e non possono essere ceduti ed altri né essere usati da persone diverse da quelle alle quali sono stati rilasciati. I permessi possono essere revocati in qualunque momento.

ARTICOLO III.

Le disposizioni della presente Ordinanza non si applicano agli appartenenti alle Forze Armate Italiane che adempiono uno speciale servizio e che sono in possesso di carte di identità e documenti comprovanti tale servizio, approvati dal Quartiere Generale della Commissione Alleata.

Chiunque sarà riconosciuto colpevole da un Tribunale Militare Allenteo dopo aver trasgredito ad alcuna delle disposizioni della presente Ordinanza, sarà punito col carcere o con la multa, o con entrambi detto pena, a criterio del Tribunale. A seguito di tale giudizio il Tribunale potrà ordinare la sostituzione e in aggiunta ad ogni altra sanzione legale, la confisca, a favore del Governo Militare Allenteo, di ogni mezzo di trasporto usato in connessione con l'atto costituente la violazione della presente Ordinanza o comunque usato per agevolare l'atto medesimo.

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in presente Ordinanza entro in visione in ogni Provincia, o parte di essa, situata nel territorio del Governo Militare alleato, nel giorno della sua prima pubblicazione in detta Provincia o parte di essa.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LIGURIA REGION

REGIONAL ORDER No. 4

Movement of Civilians and issue of Movement of Civilian passes

I, Brigadier M. CARR, C.B.E., M.C., Regional Commissioner for the Region of Liguria, hereby order as follows:

Article I

No person shall

- (a) travel within the territory forward of the Security Control Line or the Prohibited Frontier Zone Line a distance of more than ten kilometers beyond his place of residence;
- (b) travel across the Security Control Line or the Prohibited Frontier Zone Line unless such person is in possession of a Movement of Civilians Pass authorising such travel and issued by or under the authority of the Allied Military Government.

Article II

Section 1. Every request for a pass shall be made by the applicant in person to the Allied Military Government Officer nearest to his place of residence or to such other Officer or office as may be designated. Applicants for passes must produce identity cards.

Section 2. A pass will only be issued when the purpose of the journey is of direct benefit to the Allied cause.

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Article III

The Provisions of this Order shall not apply to any member of the Italian Armed Forces on specific duty and in possession of identity documents and proper credentials.

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Article V

This Order shall become operative in each Province or part thereof within Military Territory on the date of its first publication therein.

8 June 1945

M. CARR,
Brigadier, C.B.E., M.C.,
Regional Commissioner,
Liguria Region.

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GOVERNO MILITARE ALLEATO
PER LA REGIONE DELLA LIGURIA

ORDINANZA REGIONALE N. 4

Circolazione di civili e rilascio di permessi di circolazione a civili

Io, Brigadiere Generale M. CARR, C.B.E., M.C., Commissario Regionale per la Liguria, con la presente ordino quanto segue:

Articolo I

Nessuno può:

- (a) spostarsi nel territorio situato oltre la linea di Sicurezza e di Controllo o superare la linea delimitante la zona proibita di frontiera, per una distanza superiore a 10 chilometri dal proprio luogo di residenza.
 - (b) attraversare la linea di Sicurezza e di Controllo o la linea delimitante la zona proibita di frontiera
- a meno che si sia in possesso di un permesso di circolazione per civili che autorizzi i suddetti spostamenti e che sia rilasciato dal Governo Militare Alleato o sotto l'autorità del medesimo.

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Sezione 2. Il permesso sarà rilasciato soltanto nei casi in cui lo scopo del viaggio sia di diretto vantaggio alla causa degli Alleati.

Sezione 3. I permessi sono validi soltanto per la particolare circostanza e per lo scopo per cui sono stati rilasciati, e non possono essere ceduti ad altri né essere usati da persona diversa da quella alla quale sono stati rilasciati. I permessi possono essere revocati in qualunque momento.

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Articolo V

La presente Ordinanza entra in vigore in ogni Provincia, o parte di essa, situata nel territorio del Governo Militare Alleato, nel giorno della sua prima pubblicazione in detta Provincia o parte di essa.

8 Giugno 1945

M. CARR,
Brigadiere Generale, C.B.E., M.C.
Commissario Regionale
Regione Liguria.

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1. In accordance with policy for other parts of ITALY it is proposed to set up the following Italian movement control areas with staffs as shown against each. BOLOGNA covers FLORENCE LESHORN ANETEO VERONA covers 20 ORS 52. MILAN covers TURIN GENOA covers 15 ORS 40. VENICE covers ANCONA ADUA UDINE covers 14 ORS 38.

2. These tps will control Italian movement as laid down our R4(MOV 6) G/RD dated 7 February 45. Later when AC take over these tps will also help in control of movement of AC and civilians traffic.

3. Desired they begin work 15 June.

4. Do you agree entry these tps areas given above.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

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AC/14080/PS

Tel: 478134

29 May 1945

SUBJECT : Travel into North of Italy.

TO : AFHQ, G-5 Section.

1. Your letter G-5, 300.4-4, dated 10 May, 1945, refers.
2. The restrictions relating to the control of civilian movement have now been modified in agreement with AFHQ and Headquarters 15 Army Group to the extent indicated in the attached letter AC/14080/20/PS, dated 25 May, 1945.
3. It will be noted that in the territory to the rear of the Security Control Line and Prohibited Frontier Zone Line movement is free and no movement passes are required.

For the Chief Commissioner:

G.R. UPJOHN, Brig.
VP CA Section

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Ps please reportC. A. Sec.ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

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G-5: 300.4-4

18 May 1945
21 MAY 1946

SUBJECT: Travel into north of Italy

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission
APO 394

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1. Reference minutes of SACMED's political conference, SAC (P)
(45) 10th meeting, of 10 May. *received 20 May to PS Refs*2. It is desired to know what action has been taken to
implement SACMED's instructions contained in para. 6 (b) of the
minutes under reference.

For the Asst. Chief of Staff, G-5:

Julius Hyles
JULIUS HYLES
Major, F. A.

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Extract from minutes of 10th Supreme Allied Commander's
Conference (Political) of 10 May 1945.

SAC (P) (45) 10th Meeting
10 May, 1945

19 MAG 1945

EXTRACT

6. CIVILIAN TRAVEL IN NORTHERN ITALY

REAR ADMIRAL STONE reported that the Italian Prime Minister had recently requested approval for various members of the Italian government to proceed on business to Northern ITALY. The purpose of these visits would be solely political, and it was the Admiral's opinion that approval should be granted in view of the directive in SAN 487. He further recommended that the entire question of civilian travel to and from Northern ITALY should be examined.

THE SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER:

Directed that the Chief Commissioner, Allied Commission:

- (a) Arrange for the visit of the members of the Italian government to Northern ITALY.
- (b) Investigate, in conjunction with the military authorities concerned, the feasibility of allowing increased civilian travel into Northern ITALY and report to him accordingly.

EX. Com's DIST - 19 MAY 45

CA SECTION (ACTION)

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TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION, AC
(RAIL DIVISION)
c/o Transportation (Br) Main
C.M.F.

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Tel. 843238
Ref. AC/22/Tn 4

11 May 1945

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement.

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission, AC HQ

1. Reference is to Executive Memorandum N° 77/45 dated 30 April 1945 and Daily Bulletin N°126 dated 6 May 1945.
2. The Rail Division of Transportation Sub-Commission has in the past prepared and issued travel permits for civilian contractors and ISR personnel to travel within restricted and Army Areas on the business of repairs, rehabilitation or other matters vital to railway operation.
3. May this Sub-Commission be informed please if this procedure may be continued in view of the urgency of providing, in certain cases, for civilians to circulate when a time limit is placed upon contracts.

acting maj
for Director

Spoke to writer on 16 May, 1945 at 1505 hrs. per telephone.

Transportation S/C (Rail Division) will continue to obtain passes from M.H.S. as heretofore and sign those passes which are issued to personnel in their employ. No reply necessary.

Wm. C. Hollman May

16 May, 1945.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

AG/14080/PS.

10 May 1945

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement.

TO : Ministry of Interior.
(Direzione Generale della Pubblica Sicurezza).

1. Receipt is acknowledged with thanks of your letter AGR/11/442/4538/1, dated 30 April, 1945, transmitting a copy of your circular 442/3945, dated 23 April, 1945, relating to the issue of passes to places in the vicinity of the Rear Army Security Control Line.

W. C. Ballard May
for JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

WCB/va

Translation.

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MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

23rd April 1945.

N. 442/3945

Subject : Control of Civilian Movement.

To : Prefect of Liberated Italy

To : Questore of Rome

and for information

To : Their Excellencies the High Commissioners for
Sicily and Sardinia.

For Translation from "The Allied Commission"
to para b "either of an official or family nature", see file
AC/14080/PS paper number 41B.

Attention is called to the fact that the Army Security Control Line passes through the following localities, which are to be considered included in the restricted Zone: Fano, Urbino, San Sepolcro, Arezzo, Siena, Colle Val D'Elsa, Cecina. It is pointed out, however, that the Allied Commission has communicated, that during the last weeks an always increasing number of civilians have tried to go into the Army Zone, without proper authorisation, after having arrived in localities on the Army Security Control Line or in vicinity of this Line, furnished with permits issued by Questori and from whom they try to obtain the extension to localities beyond the Security Control Line.

In calling your attention to the instructions issued with circular n. 442/12854 of 7th December 1944, it is requested, that measures be adopted for the strict observation of the regulations according to which the issue of permits to localities situated on the Army Security Control Line or immediately South of that Line must be effected with criterions of absolute restriction and most severe investigations have to be made previously in regard to the reasons of the travel.

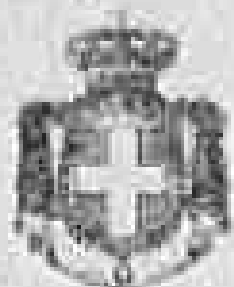
Finally, it is confirmed that permits may not be issued for political reasons for place situated in AMG territory.

An acknowledgement will be appreciated.

For the Head of the Police

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Ministero dell'Interno
DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA

ALL'ON. COMMISSIONE ALBERTA
Sottocommissione per la P.S.

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Invia A.G.R. *Per* II[^]
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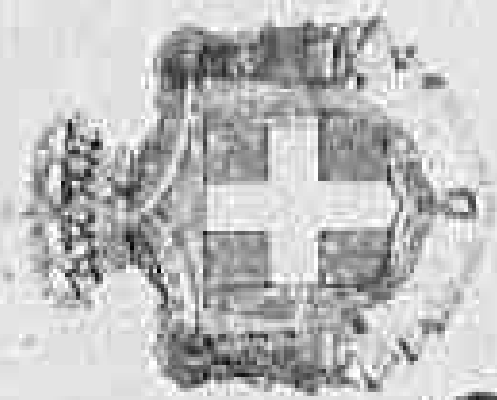
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Movement of Civilians.

In relazione alla nota di codesta On.
Commissione N. A C/14018/2/P.S. del 19 corrente e
N. A C/14080/P.S. stessa data, si trasmette, per op-
portuna conoscenza, copia della circolare circolata
in data 23 corr. per impartire le disposizioni ri-
chieste.

PEL MINISTRO

With ref. to the Commission's letter n. AC/14080/18
dated 19 instant, we transmit for information, copy of
the circular circulated on the 23rd instant in order
to issue the requested instructions.
rv.

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Ministro dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PUBBLICA SICUREZZA
Divisione A.G.R. - Sezione 2^a

Prot. N° 442/3945

Roma, li 23 aprile 1945

OGGETTO: Controllo del movimento dei civili.

ALTE LL. EE. I PREFETTI DELL'ITALIA LIBERATA
AL SIG. OR. QUORONDI DI

ROMA

* per conoscenza:

ALTE LL. EE. GLI ALFI COMMISSARI PER LA

SICILIA E SARDEGNA

La Commissione Alleata, in seguito al ritiro del proprio personale da molte provincie dell'Italia liberata affidate al Governo Italiano, ha deciso di apportare le seguenti varianti alle disposizioni regolanti il controllo del movimento dei civili:

a) ZONA DELL'ESERCITO - Le comande per recarsi nella zona dell'Esercito, e cioè a nord della linea di controllo di sicurezza dell'Esercito, saranno ricevute dai Questori della località di partenza e fatte pervenire al Ministero scrivente, Divisione Affari Generali e Riservati, Sezione IV^a, che provvederà per l'inoltrare alla Commissione Alleata (Sottocommissione per la I. S.). Le comande dovranno essere prese in considerazione dai Questori solo quando i viaggi si effettuino nell'interesse dello sforzo bellico, ritenendosi compresi in tale dizione anche i motivi qui di seguito specificati:

1^a) Motivi di carattere commerciale di interesse pubblico o nazionale, comprovati da dichiarazioni emesse dai Comuni o dalle Prefetture. Per quanto concerne la Capitale la domanda dovranno essere comprovate da documenti emessi dalla Camera del Commercio.

2^a) Motivi di carattere industriale che rispondano ad un fine nazionale o ad un rilevante interesse pubblico, sulla base di dichiarazioni emesse dal Ministero dell'Industria, dei Lavori Pubblici, o da altri Enti statali e parastatali.

3^a) Motivi di carattere agricolo di rilevante entità, comprovati da dichiarazioni emesse dal Ministero dell'Agricoltura od Enti dipendenti.

4^a) Motivi di servizio o professionali per gli impiegati ed i funzio-

OGGETTO : Controllo del movimento dei civili.

ALLE LL. EE. I PRINCIPALI DELL'ITALIA LIBERATA

AL SIG. OR. QUESTORI DI

ROMA

« per conoscenza:

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3°) Motivi di carattere e ricolto di rilevante entità, comprovati da dichiarazioni emesse dal Ministero dell'Agricoltura od Enti dipendenti.

4°) Motivi di servizio o professionali per gli impiegati ed i funzionari statali e parastatali, nonché per i liberi professionisti, comprovati da lettere di servizio firmate rispettivamente dai Ministri, Prefetti, e Sindaci a seconda della categoria di impiegati e funzionari, e, per i professionisti, da documenti delle autorità competenti.

Nelle domande di coloro che intendessero compiere il viaggio con automezzo proprio dovranno essere specificati il numero di targa dell'autoveicolo, e gli estratti del permesso di circolazione, con indicazione del numero di detto permesso, della durata, e delle località per la quali è valido.

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Le domande avanzate per motivi diversi che li soprasspecificati dovranno essere respinte, evitandone così l'utile trascinazione a questo Ministero.

Si prega, pertanto, richiamare l'attenzione dei Questori perché l'accertamento dei motivi di viaggio sia compiuto con accuratezza e sempre sulla base di documenti ufficiali.

Si ricorda che le domande per recarsi nella zona dell'Esercito debbano contenere, oltre tutti i dati richiesti per recarsi nella zona ristretta, particolari completi sull'itinerario e durata del viaggio.

Alla fine di ogni mese i Questori dovranno inviare un prospetto da cui risulti il numero delle domande presentate ai loro uffici, di quelle trasmesse al Ministero, e di quelle in base alle quali la Commissione Alleata ha rilasciato i permessi durante il mese.

b) LOCALITÀ A TERGO DELLA LINEA DI CONTROLLO DI SICUREZZA DELL'ESERCITO --, comprese, cioè, nelle zone "ristrette", inclusi i viaggi dalla Sicilia e la Sardegna per il continente, e viceversa. I permessi relativi potranno essere emessi, come sinora, dai Questori della località di partenza, purché i richiedenti dimostrino ragioni serie e valide a giustificazione del viaggio, sia per motivi di carattere ufficiale, sia per ragioni di famiglia.

Si ricorda che la linea di controllo di sicurezza dell'Esercito passa per le seguenti località, che restano considerate come comprese nella zona ristretta: Reno, Urzino, San Verobro, Brezzo, Siona, Colle Val d'Elsa, Cecina. Si avverte, però, che la Commissione Alleata ha comunicato che nelle ultime settimane si è verificato che un numero sempre maggiore di civili cerca di raggiungere la zona dell'Esercito, senza la debita autorizzazione, dopo essersi portati in località situate sulla linea di controllo di sicurezza dell'Esercito ed in prossimità a tale linea, muniti di permesso rilasciato dai Questori e dai quali cercano di ottenere l'estensione a località oltre la linea di controllo di sicurezza.

Nel richiamare al riguardo le disposizioni impartite con la circolare n. 442/12854 del 7 dicembre U.S., si prega di curare che siano strettamente osservate le norme secondo le quali il rilascio dei permessi per località situate sulla linea di controllo di sicurezza dell'Esercito o immediatamente a sud di detta linea dovrà effettuarsi con criteri di assoluta restrizione e previo il più rigoroso accertamento di motivi validi e sufficienti a giustificazione del viaggio.

Si conferma, infine, che non potranno essere concessi permessi per motivi politici per località situate nel territorio dell'A.M.G.

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PER IL CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

AC/14080/PM.

6 May 1945

SUBJECT : Control of Movement.

TO : Allied Commission, Liaison Office, Bari. *32 A*

1. Your LS/35, dated 26 April, 1945 refers.
2. Transmitted herewith for information is a copy of Executive Memorandum No. 77/45, dated 30 April, 1945, which contains the latest instructions with regard to the control of civilian movement.
3. You will notice that in Italian Government territory, Applications for the issue of movement passes should be dealt with by Questori.
4. Details of various territorial boundaries are given in Appendix "A" to the Memorandum.
5. This Headquarters considers that Liaison Officers should not normally deal with matter relating to the issue of passes except when requested to do by allied military organizations. In this connection applications for passes may be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of Executive Memorandum No. 77/45.
6. It will also be noted in the Memorandum (para. 5 (a) (IV)) that Headquarters of allied military organizations may apply for passes direct to this Headquarters.

Enc : 2.

Copy : Liaison Office, Rome
" " Palermo
" " Catania
" " Sardinia.

Wm. C. Ballance May
JOHN C. CHITMAN
Colonel, J.A.I.C. 4853
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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ALLIED COMMISSION
LIAISON OFFICE
BARI

April 28, 1945

Subject: Civilian Movement North.

Ref.: LB/35

To: Allied Commission H.Q.

1) Owing to the rapidity with which Northern Italy is being liberated I am already receiving numerous inquiries and expect shortly to be inundated with such inquiries from individual Italian civilians who are desirous of returning to their homes and rejoining their relatives, as to the documentation necessary to enable them to do so.

2) As the position in regard to Army Zones and unrestricted areas has probably greatly changed as a result of recent military developments I shall be glad if I may be informed as to my duties and powers (if any) in connection with the subject matter of this letter. I shall be particularly pleased to be informed of the geographical areas within which the movement of civilians is unrestricted or is subject to restrictions (of which I shall be glad to be advised) or is absolutely prohibited.

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L. F. Dawson.

L.F. Dawson, Lt. Col.
Allied Commission

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T. D. Carson.

L.F. Dawson, Lt. Col.
Allied Commission
Liaison Officer

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

AC/14080/PS

1 May 1945

SUBJECT : Rear Army Security Control Line.

TO : The Director of Transportation.
Transportation Movement.
C.M.F. (Attn : Capt. Holden).

1. Confirming recent telephone conversation, Capt. Holden - Major W.C. Ballance, the Rear Army Security Control Line, with effect from 28 April 1945, has been adjusted to run as follows:-

Porto Corsini, Ravenna, Forlì, Pontassieve, Florence, Prato, Pistoia, Pescia, Lucca, Massarosa, Viareggio.

2. The towns and villages on the roads forming the line are exclusive to the Army Zone.

3. Passes must not be issued to places on or near the line if the evident intention is to apply for further passes to travel into the Army Zone.

4. The Restricted Line remains unchanged.

W.C. Ballance May

for
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

AC/14030/PS

28 April 1945

SUBJECT : Rear Army Security Control Line

TO : Adjutant

1. Will you please insert the following notice in the Daily Bulletin :-

"Control Of Movement"

The Rear Army Security Control Line WEF 0001 hrs., 28 April, 1945, will run as follows:-

Porto Corsini, Ravenna, Forli, Pontassieve, Florence, Prato, Pistoia, Pescia, Lucca, Massarosa, Viareggio.

The towns and villages on the roads forming this line will be exclusive to the Army Zone.

Passes must not be issued for travel to places on or near the Line if the evident intention is to apply for further passes to travel into the Army Zone.

The Restricted Line remains unchanged.

for *W. Wilson*
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

28 April 1945

AC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Rear Army Security Control Line
TO : Ministry of Interior (Direzione
Generale della Pubblica Sicurezza)

1. The Rear Army Security Control Line will be adjusted with effect from 0001 hrs 28 April, 1945, to run as follows :-

Porto Corsini, Ravenna, Forlì, Pontassieve,
Florence, Prato, Pistoia, Pescia, Lucca,
Massarosa, Viareggio.

2. All towns and villages on the roads forming this line will be exclusive to the Army Zone.

3. Passes must not be issued to places on or adjacent to the line if the evident intention is to apply for further passes to place inside the Army Zone.

4. The Restricted Line remains unchanged.

5. Will you please notify all concerned.

W. Chapman
for JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

WCB/wg.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

Originator's Reference : FX 656
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1. Army security control line will be adjusted WEF 0001 hrs 28 April 1945 to run as follows Porto Corsini Ravenna Forli Pontassieve Florence Prato Pistoia Pescia Incca Macsarosa Viareggio.

2. Above localities and all other towns and villages on roads forming this line will be exclusive Army zone inclusive restricted zone. Check points will be sited immediately north of towns.

3. 8 Army is responsible for control of line east of route 65 exclusive and 5 Army west of route 65 inclusive.

4. Allied Commission requested to notify all concerned.

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THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

Rec 6/4.5/68

14 April 45

SUBJECT: Relaxation of 10 Km Travel Restriction in M.A. Italy

TO : HQ IV Corps - G 5 Section

Reference HQ 15 Army Group Letter G-5/4/47 dated 14 March, addressed to this Section with copy to you, and enclosure.

- 1 It is felt at this Headquarters that the enclosure mentioned in the above - namely the Letter from G-2 15 Army Group - is an excellent basis of working.
- 2 It is clearly understood by all concerned here and by all Regional Commanders that decisions on this subject rest with the Army, Corps or District Commander. This HQ can only enter into the matter at all by requesting that the very real practical difficulties are given consideration.
- 3 Paragraph 5 of the G-2 Letter seems to be a thoroughly workable plan for Phase 1. It is noted that G-5 15 Army Group does not entirely agree, but his point of contention is, in fact, merely whether the Corps Commander delegates his authority down to local JAG/US Officers and permits them to have direct contact with provincial administrations. This is a point which can only be decided by the Corps Commander himself and it may well be that such delegation for "locally local matters" is not only desirable but unavoidable, as has been the case in the past when the armies were moving rapidly.
- 4 Whether the change from Army Zone to Restricted zone comes through Corps or District is immaterial to Regional Commanders who fully understand that the order must originate from the appropriate military authority. This change will be made effective by GO 24 the posting of which, it is understood, will be permitted as early as possible. The Order needs amendment and this will be done.
- 5 No difficulty is anticipated in restricting passes into frontier provinces to applicants whose journey would directly benefit the Allied war effort as is now the case for persons wishing to enter Army Area.
- 6 Finally it may be necessary to have a narrow Restricted zone after the greater part of the M.A. has been declared free. It is thought that the detail of that should be left to the Army until potential suggestions can be put forward to the military authority (probably G-1 No 2 District) free experience on the spot.

FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

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a person of a good heart and a good head - a man of

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REPORTS FROM THE DIRECTOR

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Copy to : GPO No 2 District
 HQ Victoria Region
 HQ Tasmania Region
 HQ Ligaria Region
 Public Safety 10

DATE	12-11-19
TO	Mr. A. A. A.
FROM	Mr. B. B. B.
SUBJECT	Mr. C. C. C.
REMARKS	Mr. D. D. D.
INITIALS	Mr. E. E. E.
SIGNATURE	Mr. F. F. F.
DATE	12-11-19

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HEADQUARTERS 15 ARMY GROUP
G-5 SECTION
APO 777

WWM/roc

Ref: G-5/3/27

24 March 1945

SUBJECT: Relaxation of 10 Km Travel Restriction in
N/A Italy.

TO: V. P. Civil Affairs Section,
Eq Allied Commission.

1. Attached herewith are the comments of G-2, 15th Army
Group, on your letter AG/4180/L dated 14 March 1945.

2. I am definitely not in agreement with the last sentence
in Par 5 of G-2's letter. Any alteration in the 10 Km restriction in
Phase 1, should be made by SCAG IV Corps after consultation with G-2
IV Corps.

s/ NELSON W. MONFORT

NELSON W. MONFORT
Colonel, GSC,
DSCAG

Inc: 1401/10/GSI(b) dated 21 March 1945.

Copy to: A.C. of S., G-2, 15 Army Group.
SCAG IV Corps.

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SUBJECT

1007 : Relaxation of 10 km travel restriction
in NW ITALY

HQ 15 ARMY GROUP

1401/10001 (D)

24 Mar 45

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Copy to C-2 IV Corps
 GSI 2 District

Reference your C-2/1/27 dated 17 Mar 45 enclosing letter from HQ Allied Commission dated 16 Mar 45 on the above subject.

- 1 The difficulties of applying or enforcing strict civilian movement regulations in certain areas of NW ITALY are fully appreciated.
- 2 For this reason, it has in any case been our intention that NW ITALY as a whole should, from the point of view of movement restrictions, revert from an Army Zone to a Restricted Zone as soon as possible after the Allied occupation; i.e. that the 10 km restriction should give way to the inter-provincial restriction as soon as circumstances permit. However it is hoped that it may not be long thereafter before it is found possible to declare much of NW ITALY a Free Zone, though it is likely that the frontier provinces will have to remain a restricted zone indefinitely.
- 3 It is considered that, in the early stages of the Allied occupation, the area must be regarded and treated as an Army Zone, and that the 10 km restriction should, as a general rule, be applicable. It is realized, however, that a certain measure of elasticity, relaxation and local discretion along the lines you suggest must be authorized to meet the special conditions in certain areas, as outlined in your letter.
- 4 Though this principle is accepted, it is felt that the definition of such authorization which you suggest is somewhat vague and over-comprehensive, viz that Regional Commanders be empowered "to modify the regulations restricting movement to 10 km to such distances as they consider may be necessary for the normal resumption of civil life,..... in consultation with the local military commander". It is pointed out that the requirements of military security must clearly have priority over, and may in certain respects have to interfere with the "normal resumption of civil life", though the fullest consideration will, of course, always be given to the needs of the latter.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 473800

24 April 1945

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SUBJECT : Control of Movement

TO : Adjutant HQ, A.C.

Will you please insert the following note
on the Daily Bulletin:-

"Travel to COTIGNOLA, Province of Ravenna"

Owing to its devastated condition the town
of COTIGNOLA, Province of Ravenna, is being completely
evacuated. No civilian will be allowed to remain in
or enter the town.

No travel passes may be issued to this town".

W. C. Ballance May
for
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.F.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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SUBJECT: Town of COTIGNOLA

AMG Rear Eighth Army

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1. Owing to its devastated condition the town of COTIGNOLA (M.R.M. 3534) prov Ravenna is being completely evacuated.

2. No civilian will be allowed to remain in or enter the town. Consequently no travel passes may be issued to COTIGNOLA.

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Air Commodore,
Officer Commanding
AMG Eighth Army.

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Tel : 478800

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24 April 1945

SUBJECT : Control of Movement - Town of Cotignola
TO : Ministry of Interior (Direzione Generale
dell. Pubblica Sicurezza)

1. Owing to its devastated condition the town of Cotignola, Province of Ravenna, is being completely evacuated. No civilian will be allowed to remain in or enter the town.

2. Applications for passes to travel to Cotignola will not be accepted for the time being.

Wm C. Ballance
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY.

Ref: 1148.

18 Apr 45.

SUBJECT:- Civilian Travel.

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1. Cases have been brought to notice in which Officers have issued to Italian civilians documents purporting to certify that these persons have permission to travel to various places in ITALY; sometimes to places located in advance of the boundaries of the FIFTH and EIGHTH Armies.
2. The practice of issuing such documents will cease.
3. Only in very exceptional circumstances are Military personnel, other than specific Officers of the Allied Commission and AMG, permitted to issue authority for civilian travel and then only to such civilians who are employed by the Military and engaged on particular operational or intelligence tasks and under such circumstances that the urgent necessity of the travel makes it impracticable to obtain the appropriate AG/AMG Pass.
4. It is not considered that in this Command any such emergency is likely to arise and no such authorities to travel will be issued by any person in any unit in this Command without prior reference to this HQ.
5. The territory of ROME Area Allied Command lies within that part of ITALY which is under the jurisdiction of the Italian Government and all applications by civilians to travel into Restricted Zones must be made by them to the QUESTURA.
6. The Restricted Zones include all territory north of the Northern Boundaries of the Provinces of VITERBO, RIETI and TETUMO and the comune of NAPLES (which includes the Port and city of NAPLES).
7. Officers will only give recommendations for the issue of permits to travel in cases where the identity of the Italian concerned is known to them personally and where the service to be performed is an officially authorized one.

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A. L. LOUDEN,
Maj,
for Lt Col,
AA & QMG.

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Tel : 478708

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19 April 1945

SUBJECT : Civilian Movement

TO : Ministry of the Interior
Direzione Generale di Pubblica Sicurezza

1. Reference is made to your letter N°442/
4229 dated 10th April 1945.

2. The Directive N°442/3945 for the information of Prefects and other interested Officials in Italian Government Territory on the subject of dealing with applications of Civilians to enter the Army Zone meets with the approval of this Headquarters with the following exception:-

for "line of demarcation" should be substituted "The Rear Army Security Control Line" (Paragraph a) and b)).

3. It is also considered that the present location of the Control Line could be included for general information.

John W. Chapman
for JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

10th April, 1945
N. 442/4229

Subject : Control of Civilian Movement.

TO : Questore of Rome.

In transmitting the ministerial circular N.442/3935 of to-day's date, containing new regulations governing the control of civilian movement, it is communicated, that Lt. Dr. Alessandro Fazioli will perform duties as liaison officer between the Ministry and the Allied Commission.

Assisted by the personnel already at his dependence, he will continue to deal with the collection of the applications of the Rome Province regarding travel permits into the Army zone, and will submit to the Allied Commission, with the modalities observed up-to-now, also the other applications which will arrive from the various Provinces.

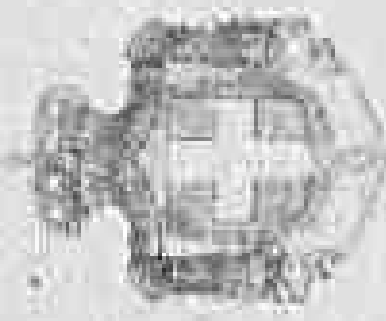
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For the Chief of the Police

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Prot. N. 442/4229 Allegato 1

Roma 10 Aprile 1945

Al SIG. QUESTORE

di

ROMA

Risposta al Foglio del
Dir. L. 20

OGGETTO Controllo del movimento dei civili.

Nel trasmettere la circolare ministeriale N. 442/3945 di data odierna, contenente nuove norme regolanti il controllo del movimento dei civili, si comunica che il Ten. Razioli Dott. Alessandro presterà servizio quale ufficiale di collegamento fra il ministero e la Commissione Alleata.

Soli, valendosi del personale già alle sue dipendenze, seguirà a curare la raccolta delle domande della provincia di Roma relative a permessi per viaggi nella zona dell'Esercito, e provvederà a sottoporre alle Commissioni Alleate, con le modalità sinora osservate, anche le altre domande che perverranno dalle varie provincie.

Si resta in attesa di un cenno di esecrazione.

FME CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

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Prot. N. 442/4229 Allegato 4

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Si resta in attesa di un cenno di assicurazione.

PER CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

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MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

Rome, 10th April, 1945.

NO. 442/3840.

SUBJECT: Control of Civilian Movement.

TO : Their Excellencies the Prefects of Uninhabited Italy, The Quarters of Rome, and for information to the Prefectures of the High Commissioners for Sicily and Sardinia.

The Allied Commission, following from its withdrawal of their personnel from the provinces of Uninhabited Italy which have been entrusted to the Italian Government, has decided upon the following variations of the regulations governing the control of civilian movement:

1) ARMY AREA - Requests to travel in Italy, east to east, north or the line of demarcation, will be received by the Quarters of the Area or origin and sent to this Ministry, General and Administrative Division, Section VI, who will provide for their forwarding to the Allied Commission (Public Safety and Protection). The requests must only be taken into consideration by the Quarters when the journey to be effected are in the interests of the war effort, the following reasons to be included under this heading:

1) Reasons of a commercial nature in the public and national interest, supported by declaration issued by the Commerce or the Prefectures. For as much as concerning the Capital requests must be accompanied by documents issued by the Chamber of Commerce.

2) Reasons of an industrial nature which have a bearing on the economic life of the public interest, based on declarations issued by the Ministry of Industry, of Public Works, or other State or Para-State Bodies.

3) Reasons of an agricultural nature supported by

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Sardinia and Sicily.

The Italian Government, following upon the withdrawal of their personnel from the provinces of interest in Italy, have been entrusted to the Italian Government, and decided upon the following variations of the regulations governing the control of civilian movement:

a) 1937 Law - Regulation - Article 1, that is to say, none of the Regulation, will be received by the Quarters of the 1937 Law and sent to this Ministry, General and Commercial Affairs Division, Section VI, the Regulation for their forwarding to the Allied Commission (Public Safety Sub-Commission). The requests must be taken into consideration by the Quarters when the requests to be effected are in any interests of the war effort. The following reasons to be included under this heading:

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2) Reasons of an industrial nature which have a bearing on industrial plant or are in a public interest, based on declarations issued by the Ministry of Industry, of Public Works, or other Statist or Para-Statist Bodies. 4930

3) Reasons of an agricultural nature, supported by declarations issued by the Ministry of Agriculture or dependent Bodies.

4) Professional or duty reasons for State or Para-Statist employees or functionaries, as well as for independent professionals, supported by official letters signed by the Ministries, Prefectures or the Courts, according to the category of the employee or functionary, and, for professionals, by documents issued by the competent authorities.

The requests of those who intend to undertake the journey with their own means of transport must show the number-plate of the vehicle and the details of the circulation permit, the number of the permit, its duration and the places for which it is valid.

Requests put forward for reasons other than those above-mentioned must be refused thus avoiding their useless transmission to this Ministry.

Meanwhile the attention of the Ministry is drawn to the necessity that the reasons for journeys must be accurately checked and always based on official documents.

2nd. It is to be remembered that requests to enter the Army Area must contain, besides the requisite data to allow of entry into the restricted zone, detailed particulars of the itinerary and the duration of the journey.

At the end of each month the Ministry must send in a statement showing the number of requests presented to their offices, those transmitted to the Ministry, and those for which the Allied Commission has released permits during the month.

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b) Places within the ~~Demarcation Line~~, comprising, i.e., the Restricted Zone, including journeys to Sicily and Lardinia and the continent and vice versa. The relative permits may be issued as heretofore by the Ministry of the Places of origin, so long as the applicant makes serious and valid reasons to justify the journey, either of an official or family nature. It is confirmed that permits may not be issued for political reasons for places situated in Axis territory.

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Ministero dell'Interno

DIREZIONE GENERALE DI P.S. - DIVISIONE A.G.R. SEZ. 2°

N. 442/3945

ROMA, 10 Aprile 1945

ALLE LL. EE. I PREFETTI DELL'ITALIA LIBERATA
AL SIG. QUESTORE DI ROMA

e per conoscenza:

ALLE LL. EE. GLI ALTI COMMISSARI PER LA
SICILIA E SARDEGNA

OGGETTO: Controllo del movimento dei civili.

La Commissione Alleata, in seguito al ritiro del proprio personale da molte provincie dell'Italia liberata affidate al Governo italiano, ha deciso di apportare le seguenti varianti alle disposizioni regolanti il controllo del movimento dei civili:

a) ZONA DELL'ESERCITO - Le domande per recarsi nella zona dell'Esercito, e cioè a nord della linea di demarcazione, saranno ricevute dai Questori delle località di partenza e fatte pervenire al Ministero scrivente, Divisione Affari Generali e Riservati, Sezione IV°, che provvederà per l'inoltro alla Commissione Alleata (Sottocommissione per la P.S.). Le domande dovranno essere prese in considerazione dai Questori solo quando i viaggi si effettuino nell'interesse dello sforzo bellico ritenendosi compresi in tale dizione anche i motivi qui di seguito specificati:

1°) Motivi di carattere commerciale di interesse pubblico o nazionale, comprovati da dichiarazioni emesse dai Comuni o dalle Prefetture. Per quanto concerne la Capitale le domande dovranno essere comprovate da documenti emessi dalla Camera di Commercio.

2°) Motivi di carattere industriale che rispondano ad un fine nazionale.

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2°) Motivi di carattere industriale che rispondano ad un fine nazionale o ad un rilevante interesse pubblico, sulla base di dichiarazioni emesse dal Ministero dell'Industria, dei Lavori Pubblici, o da altri Enti statali e parastatali.

3°) Motivi di carattere agricolo di rilevante entità, comprovati da dichiarazioni emesse dal Ministero dell'Agricoltura od Enti dipendenti.

4°) Motivi di servizio o professionali per gli impiegati ed i funzionari statali e parastatali, nonché per i liberi professionisti, comprovati da

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Lettere di servizio firmate rispettivamente dai Ministri, Prefetti e Podestà a seconda della categoria di impiegati e funzionari, e, per i professionisti, da documenti delle autorità competenti.

Nelle domande di coloro che intendessero compiere il viaggio con auto, mezzo proprio dovranno essere specificati il numero di targa dell'autoveicolo, e gli estremi del permesso di circolazione, con indicazione del numero di detto permesso, della durata, e delle località per le quali è valido.

Le domande avanzate per motivi diversi da quelli sopra specificati dovranno essere respinte, evitandone così l'inutile trasmissione a questo Ministero.

Si prega, pertanto, richiamare l'attenzione dei Questori perchè l'accentramento dei motivi di viaggio sia compiuto con accuratezza e sempre sulla base di documenti ufficiali.

Si ricorda che le domande per recarsi nella zona dell'Esercito debbono contenere, oltre tutti i dati richiesti per recarsi nella zona ristretta, particolari completi sull'itinerario e durata del viaggio.

Alla fine di ogni mese i Questori dovranno inviare un prospetto da cui risulti il numero delle domande presentate ai loro uffici, di quelle trasmesse al Ministero, e di quelle in base alle quali la Commissione Alleata ha rilasciato i permessi durante il mese.

b) LOCALITÀ A TERGO DELLA LINEA DI DEMARCAZIONE, comprese, cioè, nella zona "ristretta", inclusi i viaggi per la Sicilia, la Sardegna e il continente, e viceversa. I permessi relativi potranno essere emessi, come sinora, dai Questori della località di partenza, purchè i richiedenti dimostrino ragioni serie e valide a giustificazione del viaggio, sia per motivi di carattere ufficiale, sia per ragioni di famiglia. Si conferma che non potranno essere concessi permessi per motivi politici per località site nel territorio dell'A.M.G.

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IL CAPO DELLA POLIZIA

HEADQUARTERS
AMG FIFTH ARMY
APO 464 U.S. Army

EJE/AES/ewp

11th April 1945.

REFERENCE: 203/8-2-5.

SUBJECT : Civilian Movement.

TO : H.Q., Allied Commission.
(Attn: Public Safety Sub-Commission)

1. Before approval is given by this H.Q. for civilians to enter Army Area, as a security measure, their names are submitted to C.I.C., Fifth Army, for checking purposes.

2. The Chief, C.I.C. Fifth Army, has pointed out that a security check is desirable and necessary in the locality where the applications originate, as more information regarding the applicant would be available there.

3. Can arrangements be made for this to be done please?

For the Commanding General:

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A.M.G. Fifth Army.

P. S. Safety

REPUBLICAN ALLIED COMMISSION

LNO 394

CIVIL COAST GUARD

15/1027/1/1.

13 April 1945.

SUBJECT: Interpretation of Proclamation No. 1, Art. V, Sec 46 - Restriction of Civilian movement.

TO: Regional Commissioners COLOMBIA, ECUADOR, PANAMA, VENEZUELA and VENEZUELA Regions. Secs 5th and 8th Divisions. IV Corps.

1. Procl. 1, Art. V, Sec. 46 provides that any person who travels more than 10 Km beyond his own home without a permit is guilty of an offence.

2. The general intention of the action is quite clear: namely to prohibit any person from travelling to any place more than 10 Km from wherever he may be living upon the coming into force of the Proclamation. The word "home" must not be construed too narrowly.

3. The point may be of importance upon the liberation of Northern Italy. It is to be anticipated that there will be a large number of refugees throughout the countryside. The policy is to prohibit movement of refugees and to require them to remain at the place where they happen to be upon the arrival of the Allies; and they will be ordered to remain there until they receive further instructions. For the purpose of Sec 46, that place, be it a friend's house or an organized camp or any other place, becomes "home"; and any person who travels more than 10 Km from that place is guilty of an offence under Section 46.

4. Please bring the above comments to the attention of all local, Public Safety and other interested officers moving under your command.

By command of Rear Admiral Smith.

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By command of Rear Admiral Stone;

B. E. Thornton
 Lt. Col. E. P. DUNN, Brig.
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

13 April, 1945.

C/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement.

TO : R.A.A.C.

1. Your letter 1448, dated 9 April, 1945, refers.

2. The Control of Civilian Movement in liberated Italy is regulated by Executive Memorandum No. 77, issued by this Headquarters with the approval of AFHQ and Bq 15 Army Group. A copy of the Memorandum is attached for information. A copy of a letter specifying the various boundaries mentioned in the Memorandum is also attached.

3. It will be seen that three Zones and two boundary lines affect civilian movement as follows :

(a) Army Zone. Territory which lies forward of the Rear Army Security Control Line.

(b) Rear Army Security Control Line. Line running through Fano, Urbino, Senigallia, Ancona, Sora, Colle di Val d'Elsa, Cecina.

(c) Restricted Zone. Territory which lies between Rear Army Security Control Line and the Restricted Line.

(d) Restricted Line. Line which runs along the Northern boundaries of the provinces of Teramo, Rieti and Viterbo.

(e) Free Zone. Territory to the rear of the Restricted line.

4. In general, civilians may not :-

(a) travel more than 10 kms inside the Army Zone;

(b) cross the Rear Army Security Control Line;

(c) travel from one province to another within the Restricted Zone or cross the Restricted Line.

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unless in possession of a pass issued by or under the authority of AMG.

5. No passes are required for movement in the Free Zone except between the islands of Elba, Sicily, Sardinia, and between the islands and the mainland, and vice versa.

6. The issue of Passes to cross the Rear Army Security Control Line must be approved by the S.C.A.C. AMG Fifth or Eight Armies, or the Regional Commissioner concerned. Approval is given only if the travel will directly benefit the war effort.

7. Passes for travel to places to the rear of the Rear Army Security Control Line, including travel between the islands of Elba, Sicily, Sardinia and the Mainland, may be issued at the point of departure, provided applicants show good and sufficient reason why they wish to make the journey.

8. In the Rome area, applications for passes must be submitted to the Questore. Applications for passes to Army Zone are referred to this HQ for onward transmission to the SCAO/RC concerned.

9. Military organisations wishing to send civilians into the Army Zone on official business may submit applications for passes to this Headquarters. The name, address and identity card number of the persons concerned must be furnished in all cases.

John C. Bullenbury

JOHN C. CHAPMAN

for

Colonel, J.A.G.D.

Director Public Safety

Sub-Commission.

2 Enclosures.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

ASO 391

Civil Affairs Section

Tel: 475800
3 April 1945

Ref: AC/14080/7/PS

SUBJECT: Territorial boundaries.

TO : R.Os (Attn: RPSOs) Umbria-Marche, Toscana, Emilia, Piemonte,
Liguria Regions.
SCAOs AMO 5 Army (Attn: CPS)
AMO 8 Army (Attn: SCAPO)
D/C Naples
Liaison Officers - Rome, Bari, Palermo,
Catania.

1. AC letter, even number, dated 31 December, 1944 as amended is hereby cancelled.
2. With effect from 25 March, 1945, the Free Zone was extended to include the Province of Foggia.
3. With reference to paragraph 3 of Executive Memorandum No. 77, dated 31 August, 1945, details relating to the Rear Army Control Line and Restricted Line and other territorial boundaries mentioned in the Memorandum are given below:-

a) REAR ARMY CONTROL LINE

PANO S 2572, URBINO R 161, SANSEVERO R 5044, ARZIZO,
SIENA, COLLE DI VAL D'ELSA No 6630, GECINA.

b) RESTRICTED LINE

Northern boundaries of Provinces of Viterbo, Rieti, and
Terni.

c) TERRITORY UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF AM (5th and 8th Armies)

Provinces of	5th Army	8th Army
	Florence	Forli
	Pistoia	Reggio
	Lucca	

d) TERRITORY UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF AM (Regional Commission)

PROVINCE	URBINO - MARCHE
TOSCANA	
Livorno	Ferrara
Pisa	Imperia
Arezzo	Macerata
Sienna	Arezzo
Crossato	Perugia
	Terni

and the commune of NAPLES (which includes the PORT and city
of NAPLES)

e) TERRITORY UNDER ITALIAN GOVERNMENT JURISDICTION

The Islands of Sicily and Sardinia, and the territory South
of NAPLES, ROME, and the Provinces of VITERBO, Rieti

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1. AS letter, even number, dated 31 December, 1945, hereby cancelled.
2. With effect from 25 March, 1945, the Free Zone was extended to include the Province of Foggia.
3. With reference to paragraph 2 of Executive Memorandum No. 73, dated 31 August, 1945, details relating to the Rear Army Control Line and Restricted Line and other territorial boundaries mentioned in the Memorandum are given below :-

- a) REAR ARMY CONTROL LINE
JANO S 2272, URBINO R 2161, SANSEVERINO R 5044, AREZZO, SIENA, COLLE DI VAL D'ELSA LG 6630, CORTONA.
- b) RESTRICTED LINE
Northern boundaries of Provinces of Viterbo, Rieti, and Terni.
- c) TERRITORY UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF AR (4th and 5th Armies)

Provinces of	5th Army	5th Army
	Florence	Forlì
	Pistoia	Ravenna
	Lucca.	
- d) TERRITORY UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF AG (Regional Commissioner)

TOCANA	UMBRI - MARCHE
Livorno	Perugia
Fish	Macina
Arezzo	Macerata
Siena	Assisi
Crossato	Perugia
	Terni

and the comune of NAPLES (which includes the PORT and city of NAPLES)

- e) TERRITORY UNDER ITALIAN GOVERNMENT JURISDICTION
the islands of Sicily and Sardinia, and the territory south of the northern boundaries of the provinces of VITERBO, RIETI and TERAPO with the exception of Comune of NAPLES.

4. Confusion and delay in granting Travel Permits has been caused by the forwarding of applications to the wrong responsible authority. Applications for travel into provinces shown in Para 3 (a) should be sent to AGS 5th and 8th Armies, but to the Region concerned.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE :

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37AHQ ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO No 794 US ARMY.

Ref: 1445.

9 Apr 45.

SUBJECT:- Travel - Civilians.Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub-Commission.

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1. Reference your Memo to Lt Col MILLIKEN, reference AD/14084/PS dated 29 Mar 45, regarding the issuing of certificates by officers to civilians purporting to give the civilians permission to travel to certain parts of ITALY. This HQ is desirous of publishing an order which will forbid this practice.
2. Before publishing this order it is requested that the current regulations regarding the movement of civilians in ITALY be made clear.
3. It is understood that Civilians may travel to parts of ITALY other than the Army Areas. Is any form of authority required for such travel?
4. Can it be confirmed that if a civilian wishes to travel into the Army Area authority must be obtained from the Senior Civil Affairs officer of the region in the Army Area to which the civilian wishes to proceed.
5. Can it also be confirmed that in either case the application should be made to the Italian authorities or to AMG.



A.L. DODEN,
Major,
for Brigadier,
Commander British Troops ROME.

ALL/SS.

Copy to: Lt Col MILLIKEN, Liaison Officer,
Quasera Via S. VITALE, ROME.

File: 1445.

TO	INITIALS	DATE
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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
HQ EIGHTH ARMY REAR

FILE : R.IX/PS/12(3)/207.

6 April 1945.

SUBJECT : Civilian Movement Passes.

TO : Director,
Public Safety Sub-Commission
(for attention of Major Ballance)

1. Reference your AG/14080/PS, dated 24 March 45, and discussion this HQ. on 2 April 45.

2. The decision is that the issue of civilian movement passes for the outward journey to places outside Eighth Army territory is inconsistent with the preservation of security, and that the offer made in respect of these students is withdrawn.

3. It is mentioned that the Education Division has already advised the San Marino authorities that their University examination needs will be catered for and as soon as practicable.

WEC/ar.



W.E. Collins

W.E. COLLINS, Major,
S.C.A.P.O., (2).
for Air Commodore,
Officer Commanding,
AMG Eighth Army.

Copy to : S. Education Officer
P.L.O. San Marino.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

30 March, 1945.

AC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement.

TO : Ministry of Interior (Direzione Generale
della Pubblica Sicurezza).

1. Reference recent conversation, Dott. Ferrari - Major W.C. Ballance, in connection with the issue of movement of Civilian passes in Italian Government territory in the absence of A.C. personnel.

2. It is confirmed that all applications for travel to places in the Army Zone and south of the Rear Army Security Control Line should be accepted by Questore and dealt with as follows :-

(a) Army Zone. Questore will submit recommended applications to the Ministry of Interior, who, if satisfied that the journeys will directly benefit the war effort will forward such applications to HQ A.C. (Public Safety Sub-Commission) for onward transmission to the SCAO/RC concerned.

(b) Places to the rear of the Rear Army Security Control Line including movement between Sicily, Sardinia and the mainland, and vice versa.

Passes authorising travel to places to the rear of the Rear Army Security Control Line may be issued by Questore at the point of departure provided applicants show good and sufficient reasons why they wish to travel, whether on official matters business or family grounds. Passes will not be issued to places in AMG territory for political purposes.

3. I shall be glad if you would arrange to receive at the Ministry all applications for travel to the Army Zone and forward same to this HQ as in paragraph 2 (a).

4. In this connection it is suggested that Lt. Faziolli, now with the R. Questura in Rome, be appointed as Liaison Officer between this Headquarters and the Ministry and that he be instructed 920

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to submit all applications to this Headquarters in the same form and manner as he now submits applications on behalf of the R. Questura di Roma.

5. Questore should be instructed to indent upon the Ministry of Interior for supplies of passes. The ministry in turn will indent upon this Sub-Commission. All passes will be accounted for. Indents should be forwarded to this Headquarters on the first of each month.

6. I am pleased to bring to your notice the praiseworthy manner in which Lt. Fazzioli has performed his duties.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478800

AC/14080/PS

30 March 1945

SUBJECT : Civilian wishing to enter or leave Italy
TO : Adjutant AC.

1. Will you please insert the following
notice in the Daily Bulletin :-

"Authority for Civilian to enter or leave
Liberated Italy"

Attention is drawn to the fact that AFHQ
is the only authority who may authorise
civilians to enter or leave Liberated Italy.

All requests for authority to enter liberated
Italy and for Military Travel Authorization and
Travel Orders to leave the territory must be
submitted to AFHQ., through the following channels:

(a) Requests for repatriation and evacuation
through Displaced Persons and Repatriation Sub-
Commission.

(b) Requests for Diplomats and Officials of
the Italian Government, United Nations, Neutrals,
International Red Cross, American Relief for
Italy, Vatican and Knights of Malta through
Liaison Division.

(c) All other requests through Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

Executive Memorandum N°61, dated 13 December 1944,
refers to the issue of Military Travel Authorization.

Copy to: Liaison Division
(your 260/EC/L of 28/3/45
refers)

WCB/wg

W. H. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
SUB-Commission;

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

TEL : 478134

29 March, 1945.

AC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Civilian Movement.

TO : Lt. Col. Millhouse, Liaison Officer,
Questura, Via S. Vitale, Rome.

1. Reference the attached application received by the Questore di Roma from SORRENTINO Arduino and SORRENTINO Giuseppe for permission to travel to Florence and Lucca for the purpose of buying articles for sale in the officer's shop in the Continental Hotel, Rome.

2. The application cannot be entertained as the object of the travel in no way aids the war effort and it is pointed out that the certificate issued by Major Watson, military manager of the Continental Hotel is of the type frequently issued in good faith by Allied officers to Italian civilians who use them for improper purposes.

3. It is considered desirable that this matter be brought to the notice of the Commanding General R.A.A.C.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
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Tel : 478800

24 March, 1945

AC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Republic of San Marino

TO : Regional Commissioner, Emilia Region
(Attn: R.P.S.O.)

1. It has been reported that a small number of students who are residents of the Republic of San Marino have need to proceed to certain University towns in Italy for periods of about 12 days for the purpose of taking examinations.

2. It is said that the AC. Liaison Officer to the Republic is prepared to issue movement of civilian passes to the students for the outward journeys only, and that no proper provision is made for the issue of passes for the return journeys.

3. There does not appear to be any reason why the passes issued to the students should not cover the return journeys as well as the outward journeys.

4. Will you please look into this matter and report result to this Headquarters.

W. C. Ballance may

for
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel : 478134

21 March 1945

AC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Movement into Army Zone
Italian Air Force Personnel

TO : Air Forces Sub-Commission, AC, HQ.

1. Reference your AFSC/354/Org dated 19th
March 1945.

2. It is confirmed that Executive Memorandum
N°77 (II) applies equally to Italian Air Force Personnel.
The provisions are that personnel proceeding into the
Army or Restricted Zones must be on duty in uniform
and carry proper credentials and movement orders
(Foglio di viaggio) which must be countersigned by the
General Staff (Br.) or any General Staff Section (U.S.)
or Air Forces Sub-Commission. The countersignature
will be accompanied by the Office Stamp of the Officer
countersigning.

3. Personnel when not on duty are subject to
the same restrictions as civilians.

4. Executive Memorandum N°77 is in the process
of revision and, with approval of AFHQ, will include
the foregoing.

W. J. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS 15th ARMY GROUP
G-5 SECTION
APO 777

16 March 1945

Ref. G-5/10/1.1

SUBJECT : Control of Movement.

TO : HQ Allied Commission
(Attn: Civil Affairs Section).

1. Your attention is invited to the attached correspondence from MSHA, L.O. Sicily (Copy).

2. In this instance, this Section has indorsed the basic communication to AMG Fifth Army for such action as they care to take.

3. It will be appreciated if you will call the Land Forces Sub-Commission's attention to Executive Order No. 11 dated 4 February 1945 (HQ Allied Commission) (Section III g) which clearly indicates that routine requests for travel permits will NOT be made to Hq 15th Army Group.

s/ ROBERT A. PERWELL
Lt. Col., G.S.C.
for DCGAO

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AO/14080/PS

20 March 1945.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION Public Safety Sub-Commission APO 394

TO : The Director, Land Forces Sub-Commission, A.C. HQ.

Forwarded for information.

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Referred to No.(1) of basic report.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS 15TH ARMY GROUP
 G-5 SECTION
 APO 777

Ref: G-5/10/1.1

RAP/mlh
 16 March 1945

SUBJECT: Control of Movement.

TO: HQ Allied Commission
 (Attn: Civil Affairs Section).

1. Your attention is invited to the attached correspondence from M.M.I.A., L.O. Sicily. (copy)
2. In this instance, this Section has indorsed the basic communication to AMG Fifth Army for such action as they care to take.
3. It will be appreciated if you will call the Land Forces Sub-Commission's attention to Executive Orders No. 11 dated 4 February 1945 (HQ Allied Commission) (Section III g) which clearly indicates that routine requests for travel permits will NOT be made to HQ 15th Army Group.

Robert A. Persell

ROBERT A. PERSELL
 Lt. Col., G.S.C.
 for DCCAO

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2nd. Ind. RAP/mlh
G-5 SECTION, HQ 15TH. ARMY GROUP, APO 777, U. S. Army, 16 March 1945.

TO: A.M.C. Fifth Army.

1. For such action as you care to take.
2. Please correspond directly with Land Forces Sub-Commission, HQ Allied Commission.



ROBERT A. PERSSELL
Lt. Col., G.S.C.
for Asst. C. of S., G-5

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Territorial H.Q., Palermo
"Op. Add. & Mob." Office.

P.M. 72, 6 March, 1945.

Ref. No 2231/01

Subject: Request for Pass.

To: M.H.I.A., L.O. Sicily.

Pante MARIAGETI Roberto Fu Giovanni, living at Sarnadi (Florence), has had his father killed by the Germans during the occupation of that area by the Nazi-Fascists.

We ask you, in consideration of the serious compassionate reason, to kindly make out the necessary pass for the above mentioned Pante to be allowed to go on leave to the said locality.

by order,

Sgt. E. Griglio, Col, Chief of Staff.

No. 1500

1st Ind.

Liaison Office, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC (MMIA), N AC Sicily
Region Hq. APO 394, U.S. Army. 9 March 1945.

TO: Hq. 15th Army Group, APO 512, U.S. Army

Recommend approval.

LESTER R. ALBERT
Lt Col Inf
L O Sicily

From : Air Forces Sub Commission, Rome
 To : H.Q., A.C., R.C. & M.G. Section
 Date : 18th March 1945
 Ref. : AFSC/354/Org.

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RE. EXEC. ORDER 77

May it please be confirmed that in Section 11 para. 2 of above order that this Sub-Commission is accorded the same authority for the endorsement of passes for duty of Italian Air Force personnel, as MMIA etc. for entry over the control lines?

2. This, of course, refers to duty personnel only.

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 F.L. BRADSHAW, S/L,

Air Vice Marshal,
 Air Officer Commanding.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478134

16 March 1945

AC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Movement Passes

TO : S.C.A.O., AMG Rear Eighth Army
(Attn: S.C.A.F.O.)

1. Your letter RIX/PS/12(3)/176, dated 4 March, 1945, refers.
2. It appears that the standard colour of Movement passes was departed from because of the difficulty of obtaining supplies of yellow paper.
3. It is hoped that the next supply of passes will conform to the standard colour.
4. Executive Memorandum No 77 will be re-issued shortly. It will be mentioned in the memorandum that the colour of the passes may vary at times.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
HQ EIGHTH ARMY REAR

FILE : R.IX/PS/12(3)/176.
 SUBJECT : Civilian Movement Passes.
 TO : The Director,
 Public Safety Sub-Commission,
 HQ., AC.

4 March 1945.

1. By the numerous examples received here there is much evidence of a change in colour of the original of the civilian movement pass forms from yellow to grey.

2. No departure from the standard of yellow for the original as laid down in Executive Memorandum 77 has been notified, and as the supply of pass forms is controlled by the P.S. Division this report is made with the request for observations, please, as it is considered that this change, for whatever reason, should be properly disseminated.

W.E. Collins

W.E. COLLINS, Major,
 S.C.A.P.O., (2),
 for Group Captain,
 Officer Commanding,
 AMG Eighth Army.

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INTER OFFICE MEMORANDUM

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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AG/14080/PS

Tel: 478800
17 March 1945

SUBJECT : Control of Movement between Sardinia and Mainland.

TO : Chief, Navy Sub-Commission.

1. Your letter NSC/1793 dated 13 March, 1945, refers.
2. It is confirmed that Questore in Italian Government territory which includes the islands of Sicily and Sardinia are authorized to issue movement passes to any place south of the Rear Army Control line.
3. The Questore in Sardinia are thus entitled to issue passes to any place on the mainland which lies south of the Control Line.
4. In the revised Executive Memorandum No. 77 which will be forwarded to AFHQ for approval during the course of the next few days, it is directed that Italian Military personnel travelling on leave to places south of the Rear Army Control need not be in possession of movement of civilian passes provided they are in possession of proper leave passes and identity documents.

W. Wilson
for JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED COMMISSION
Navy Sub-Commission APO 394

850/1793
13 March 1945

From: Navy Sub-Commission, Hq. Allied Commission.
To: Public Safety Sub-Commission, Hq. AC.
Subject: Executive Memorandum No. 77, dated 31 August 1944.

1. A difference of opinion has arisen as to the meaning to be read in the above Memorandum regarding Italian Naval personnel in SARDINIA proceeding on leave to the restricted zone on the mainland.
2. Paragraph 6(b) will state that passes will be issued by the Questura at the point of departure for civilians (or armed forces on leave) to cross a restricted line.
3. Paragraph 5(c) indicates that there is a restricted line between SARDINIA and the Free Zone for the mainland.
4. Can a ruling be given as to whether the Questura in SARDINIA is entitled to issue a pass to a place in the restricted zone on the mainland; or in other words, is a Questura in SARDINIA entitled to issue a pass to cross two restricted lines?
5. At present, Naval ratings leaving SARDINIA on leave have their passes counter-signed by the Questura at the port or point of entry into the restricted zone on the mainland.

H. W. Zirolli
H. W. ZIROLLI
Commander, U. S. Navy,
1st. - REAR ADMIRAL
CHIEF, NAVY SUB-COMMISSION, AC.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478134

16 March 1945

AC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Movement of Motor Vehicles and Civilians
TO : The Director, Commerce Sub-Commission.

1. Reference to conversation Sig. Del Rio -
Major W.C. Ballance, on 13th February, 1945, on the
above subject.

2. Motor Vehicles.

The use of the vehicles must be covered
by a proper motor Circulating Permit.

3. Civilians.

Liberated Italy is divided into three
Zones.

(a) Army Zone - The portion north of the
Rear Army Control Line. (See below). No civilian may
enter this Zone without a Civilian Movement Permit
which is only issued after approval has been obtained
from either AMG Fifth Army, AMG Eighth Army or Region-
al Commissioner concerned. Application for Permit
should normally be made to the Questore, who, if
satisfied that the application is worthy of consider-
ation, will forward it through this HQ.

(b) Restricted Zone - The portion south of
the Rear Army Control Line under the jurisdiction of
AMG. Application for Permit to Questore, who is empower-
ed to issue (Note - Excludes the town of Ancona, for
which permission of AMG. Ancona is necessary prior to the
issue of Permit).

(c) Free Zone - Remainder of liberated
Italy. No Permit necessary.

(Note) - Permits are, however, necessary for travel
to Province of Foggia, and between the Islands of Sicily,
Sardinia, Elba and the mainland. Application for Permits
to Questore.

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4. The Rear Army Control Line at present, runs from PANO S 2272, URBINO R 9161, SANSEPOLCRO R 5044, AREZZO, SIENA, COLLE DI VAL D'ELSA MQ 6630, GECINA.

5. In the Army Zone, Permits are only issued by AMG Officers.

W. L. Wilson Capt

for JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

WLW/WG.

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1. In pressing for the Regional Commissioners:

- a) Experience has demonstrated that application of the 10 Km travel restriction in Army Areas has in the past frequently created situations in which:

- (i) In built-up areas large numbers of workers travelling between their homes and their jobs have been required to get passes. This has caused unnecessary complications in re-establishing normal activities and has imposed undue burdens on Public Safety Officers who have many urgent problems to deal with in the early days of liberation.
- (ii) Movement of foodstuffs required to feed liberated towns has been seriously impeded.
- (iii) Artificial divisions have been made of natural municipal and town units whereby civilians have been forced to secure passes to go from one section to another of the same city or suburb.

- b) In the industrial North of Italy, with its closely built-up continuous areas, the 10 Km rule would cause even greater disruption of essential services and would discredit Allied authority because it would be non-enforceable. As one example of many, the suburb to Milan of Monza may be cited. Under the present rule large numbers of civilians would require passes to travel from their work in Milano to their homes in Monza, which is part of the city although 13 Km from it.

2. It is suggested that SCAs and Regional Commissioners be delegated the power to modify the regulations restricting movement to 10 Km to such distances as they consider may be necessary for the natural resumption of civil life. The decision to carry this out to be taken always in consultation with the local military commander.

3. All that is required to implement such a change is for a notice, signed on behalf of AMG, to be posted in areas affected which will state that all persons living within a strictly defined area (e.g. a town and its suburbs) may have free movement throughout that area.

4. Will you please indicate that you agree with the proposal or make any comments that you may have.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

G.R. UFFIN, Brig.,
Vice President,
Civil Affairs Section,
HQ, Allied Commission.

COPIES TO: DECAO 15th Army Group

RCs, Liguria,
Piemonte,
Lombardia,
Public Safety, S/C.
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 94

Tel : 478600

March 1945

AC/LAC80/78

SUBJECT : Issue of Civilian Movement Passes.

TO : Office of the Executive Commissioner.

1. Your 535/40/80, dated 3 March, 1945, refers.
2. In the absence of Public Safety Officers in the territory handed over to the control of the Italian Government, provision is being made for all applications for passes to enter the Army Zone to be dealt with on the first place by the Questori who will transmit recommended applications to the Ministry of Interior for onward transmission to this Headquarters. (Public Safety).
3. Steps are being taken to revise Executive Memorandum 77 accordingly.
4. Questori are already authorized to issue passes for travel to any place south of the Rear Army Control Line.

G.B. UPIORI, Brig.
VP, CA Sec.

WCB/C.

4900

C O P Y

NOTES ON CONFERENCE HELD 1 MARCH 1945
HQ LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION RE TURNOVER TO RAAC

2. Public Safety

Lazio-Umbria Region is leaving behind a Public Safety liaison officer (Major Green), who will handle contacts with the civil police. Civil passes and movement control (permits) to be handled by HQ AC. Civilians would not apply direct, but would be screened by the Questura.

Office of the Executive Commissioner

3 March 45

Ref. 535/40/EC
MEMORANDUM

TO VF Civil Affairs Section.

1. Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of minutes taken at conference between Lazio-Umbria Region and RAAC regarding turnover.

2. In regard to paragraph 2, it appears that this matter requires some clarification. Will you kindly investigate? (Ref. Col. Cripps-Major Talbot conversation).

Chef Staff Officer
to Executive Commissioner.

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TO:	
DIRECTOR	
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	
ASST. DIR.	
CHIEF OF BUREAU	
CHIEF OF BRANCH	
CHIEF OF SECTION	
CHIEF OF DIVISION	
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CHIEF OF DEVELOPMENT	
CHIEF OF ACQUISITION	
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CHIEF OF ENVIRONMENT	
CHIEF OF HEALTH	
CHIEF OF WELFARE	
CHIEF OF EDUCATION	
CHIEF OF CULTURE	
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CHIEF OF ETHNIC AFFAIRS	
CHIEF OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS	
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CHIEF OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS	
CHIEF OF PERSONNEL	
CHIEF OF SECURITY	
CHIEF OF CHIEF CLERK	

ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
HQ EIGHTH ARMY REAR

: R. IX/PS/12A(2)/380.

23 Feb 45.

SUBJECT : Civilian Travel Permits.

TO : The Chief,
Public Safety Division
Regia Questura di Roma

SENESI	Tommaso
SALUCCI	Ferdinando
BONGIANNI	Olivio
LIDONNICI	Mario
LIDONNICI	Renato

1. Your application No. 1722 dated 15 Feb 45, addressed to Deputy Chief Civil Affairs Officer and requesting permission for the above mentioned persons to travel from Rome to Florence, Pistoia, Ravenna and Forli', has been received at this HQ via Fifth Army.

2. The C.P.S., Fifth Army, in forwarding the application writes:-
"Refused for Florence and Pistoia".

3. With regard to Ravenna and Forli', it is regretted that permission cannot be granted. Any electric bulbs which can be found in this area can be put to good use locally.

4. The original correspondence is returned herewith.

for *W.E. Collins*
W.E. COLLINS, Major,
S.C.A.P.O., (2),
Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
AMC Eighth Army.

ERT/ar.

Encl : As in para 4 above.

Copy to : DCCAO, 15 Army Group
C.P.S., AMC Fifth Army

HEAL WARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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Tel : 478300

27 February 1945

AC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Identity cards for Members of the
Italian Government.

TO : Liaison Division

1. Your letter and enclosures 130/3/EC
(L), dated 25 February, 1945, refer.

2. This Sub-Commission considers that
the issue of special identity cards to Members
of the Central Italian Government is not neces-
sary.

3. It is suggested, however, that standard
Movement of Civilian Passes be issued to Members
of the Government in accordance with the provisions
of Executive Memorandum N°77, paragraph 10 (b).

4. Such passes will cover all the points
raised by the Chief Commissioner's Liaison Office
in letter 0456/LP, dated 24 February 1945, as
indicated below :-

(a) Allied police will recognize the
passes which will be related to the
holder's identity documents;

(b) the persons to whom the passes
are issued will be authorized to be
out of doors after curfew;

(c) the back of the passes should be
endorsed by the HQ Commandant author-
ising the holders to enter AC Buildings,
on official business at all times.

(d) the passes will cover movement South
of the Rear Army Control Line.

(e)...

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(a) The passes will be endorsed by AFHQ G-2 Section requesting "every facility and courtesy" be given to the holders.

5. It is further suggested that in this instance the passes be prepared for issue by Liaison Division.

6. It is stated for information that Executive Memorandum N°77 is in the process of being revised.

John W. Chapman

fw JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

Copy to:

Chief Commissioner's Office.

WCR/wg.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Liaison Division
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Tel: 478001

Ref: 130/3/DC(L)

25 February 1945

SUBJECT: Special Identity Cards for Members of the Italian
Government

TO : Public Safety S/C

1. It is requested that this office be informed as soon as possible of your views on the issue of such identity cards as are requested in the attached letter from the Italian Cabinet.

2. This office and the Chief Commissioner's office recommend the issue of cards covering one, two and three of Lt Comdr Apostolo's letter and possibly four within the limits of territory handed back to the Italian Government. In regard to five it is not clear what other "facilitations" can be given.

Ranfney *Capr*

Officer in Charge
Liaison Division

LR/ac

Copy to;
Chief Commissioner's office

Encl:
1. Letter from It. Cabinet to It. Liaison
2. Letter from It. Liaison to Liaison Div, A.C.

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CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S LIAISON OFFICE
AC HQ

Rome, February 24th, 1945

File No. 0456/LP

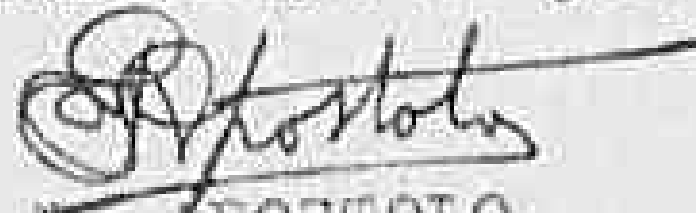
TO: Liaison Division, AC HQ
(copy to: Chief Commissioner's Office)

SUBJECT: Forwarding of letter No. 20952.18/I.4.2 dated
February 23rd from the Presidency of Council
of Ministers, Cabinet.

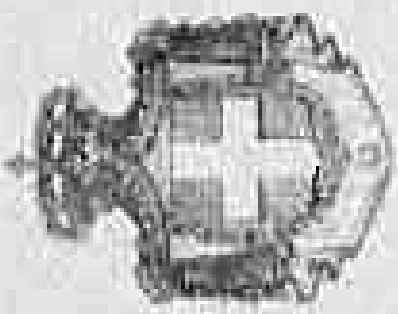
The Presidency of Council of Ministers requests by
the hereby enclosed letter that an identity card should
by issued by AC to the Members of the Government
(Ministers, Undersecretaries of State, High Commissioners);
such card should be valid

- 1st - as an identity document, recognized by the Allied
Police
- 2nd - as a curfew permit ✓
- 3rd - as authority to enter AC building ✓
- 4th - as a pass for trips outside Rome, within the limits
set forth by AC
- 5th - as a document entitling holder to other facilitations
from Allied Authorities.

The abovesaid request is therefore forwarded to you for
the necessary action.


F. APOSTOLO
Lt. Comdr., RNR
Liaison Officer

4806



*Presidenza
del Consiglio dei Ministri*
CABINETTO

21.09.52. 18/1.6.2

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ALL'UFFICIO ITALIANO DI COLLEGAMENTO
PRESSO IL CAPO DELLA COMMISSIONE
ALLEATA

R O M A

Oggetto : Documento di identificazione dei Membri del Governo.-

Si prega di provocare il rilascio da parte della A.C. di una tessera per i membri del Governo (Ministri, Sottosegretari di Stato e Alti Commissari) che, oltre ad essere considerata come documento valido di riconoscimento da parte delle Autorità Alleate, possa valere anche ai seguenti effetti:

- 1°) per la libera circolazione durante le ore del coprifuoco;
- 2°) per l'accesso agli uffici della Commissione;
- 3°) per l'effettuazione di viaggi fuori Roma nei limiti che la Commissione riterrà di poter consentire;
- 4°) per altre eventuali facilitazioni da parte delle Autorità

Alleate.-

IL CAPO DI CABINETTO

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- 20) per l'accesso agli uffici della Commissione;
- 30) per l'effettuazione di viaggi fuori Roma nei limiti che la Commissione riterrà di poter consentire;
- 40) per altre eventuali facilitazioni da parte delle Autorità Alleate.-

IL CAPO DI CABINETTO

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S. E. C. R. E. T.

HEADQUARTERS UNITED CO. DIVISION
Civil Affairs Section
A.P.O. 394

Ref : SD/578.07

19 February, 1945

Subject: Military Security

To : See Distribution

1. The number of permits issued to civilians to visit ANCONA and LEXINGTON must be restricted to a minimum.
2. Similarly any applications made in the restricted zone for permits to visit HARLES should be refused in all but the most exceptional cases.
3. The reason for this request is the urgent requirements of military security, but A.M.C. officers in refusing permits should give no indication of why they are being refused.
4. As soon as it is considered that the necessity for increased security has passed you will be informed.

For the Chief Commissioner.

See memo to 5

for C.R. WILSON, Brig.
V.P. CA section, A.C.Distribution : "A"
Less 32 to 46 and Group III

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Subject: Military Security

To : See Distribution

1. The number of permits issued to civilians to visit ANCONA and DECKMAN must be restricted to a minimum.
2. Similarly any applications made in the restricted zone for permits to visit N.P.F.S. should be refused in all but the most exceptional cases.
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4. As soon as it is considered that the necessity for increased security has passed you will be informed.

For the Chief Commissioner:


C.R. JOHNSON, Brig.
V.P. C. Section, A.C.

See memo to 5

Distribution : "A"
Less 32 to 48 and Group III

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EXTRACT FROM ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS' REPORT DATED 6 January 1945
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff G-2

Control of Civil Movement

AFHQ is responsible for defining the Restricted Line (between Restricted Zone and Free Zone) and also, in consultation with H.Q. 15 Army Group, for defining the Rear Army Security Control Line as the future dictates. No change in the existing boundary between the Restricted Zone and Free Zone is at present contemplated, but when such a change is found necessary AG will make recommendations to AFHQ for consideration of the question from a security standpoint.

G.

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EXTRACT

15A
18 February, 45

DAILY BULLETIN
Number 49

2. TRAVEL PERMITS - ITALIAN CIVILIANS

The following is extracted from letter, HQ 15th Army Group, G-5 Section, dated 16 February 1945, for the information, guidance and compliance of all concerned:

"Sub-Commissions still continue to send to G-5, HQ 15th Army Group, requests for permission for Italian civilians to enter Army Areas. Attention is drawn to Executive Order No. 11, para III (a), which revokes General Order No. 44, dated 1 October 1944."

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P. Safety
 SUBJECT: Control of Civilian movement.

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 Rear Eighth Army

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HQ Allied Commission.

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 24 Jan 45. *14080.*

1. Reference your AC/14080/84/PS dated 18 Jan 45. Herewith 3 copies of the order requested. Owing to the fact that special restrictions are in force in Divisional Areas at present, it is in obedience until normal operating conditions are resumed.

E. Roberts
 Capt,
 S/30410,
 For Group Captain,
 Officer Commanding,
 810 Eighth Army.

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 27 JAN 1945

Allied Military Government

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EIGHTH ARMY

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that notwithstanding the provisions of Proc. N.° 1, Art. V, Sec. 46 that no person shall travel more than 10 Km. beyond his own home without a permit, it is hereby ordered:

That in this Commune, until further order of the Allied Military Govern-

Governo Militare

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AVVIS

Si avverte che, le disposizioni già col Proclama 1, Ar che nessuno cioè p giare più di 10 K sua abitazione sen messo, con il p ordina:

Che nessuno Comune, fino ordine da part

Military Government

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Governo Militare Alleato

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sua abitazione senza un per-
messo, con il presente si
ordina:*

**Che nessuno in questo
Comune, fino a nuovo
ordine da parte del Go-**

that no person shall travel more than 10 Km. beyond his own home without a permit, ¹⁰⁰⁷ it is hereby ordered:

That in this Commune, until further order of the Allied Military Government, no person shall travel more than three kilometres beyond his own home without a permit.

C. E. BENSON
Group Captain
Officer Commanding A. M. G.
Eighth Army

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un permesso.

C. E. BENSON
 Ufficiale Comandante il Gruppo
 Capo del Governo Militare Alleato
 Ottava Armata

Pub. Sec.
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HEADQUARTERS ARMY COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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AC/14080/21/TS

Tel : 473800

18 January, 1945

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement

TO : S.C.A.O., Hq. AMG., Rear Eight Army

BTB

1. With reference to para 20 of your Situation Report up to 27 December, 1944, will you please forward to this Headquarters three copies of the new order restricting the movement of civilians to zones in Divisional Areas.

W. E. Halloran

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

WOB/sg.

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INFORMATION DIVISION

A.C.

SECRET

H.Q., A.M.G. EIGHTH ARMY - SITUATION REPORT UP TO 27TH DEC. 1944.

1. Since the last Sitrep reference 02/7/3 of 16th December. The only town of importance to have been captured is FAENZA. RAGNACAVELLO has also been taken, but apart from this there is little to report due to snow and Christmas.

2. Advantage has been taken of the static conditions of the front to develop the administration of RAVENNA and FORLI Provinces more on Regional lines, with the assistance of the officers of EMILIA Region H.Q. as the administrative specialists.

3. FAENZA

Situation continues extremely difficult. Population in the town is estimated to be anything from 5,000/10,000 who are mostly living in cellars as the town is under intermittent shellfire and bombing. While such conditions exist it is almost impossible to get the normal communal administration working, but the situation is slowly improving. For the above reasons too, the mills are not yet in operation and flour has been delivered as a temporary measure, although there is more than enough grain in the area.

The hospital has been badly hit and the patients which were housed in another house have now been evacuated. Fresh hospital accommodation is being prepared. The house to which the contents of the Porcelain Museum were removed, has been completely demolished.

/ The prison has also been destroyed.

4. RAGNACAVELLO

It is estimated that the town is about 50% destroyed, but here again little can be done as the town is under mortar and machine gun fire. There are 3,500 people including 600 children under three years of age, living in two crypts, the majority of which it will probably be necessary to evacuate, unless the front moves forward quickly. A start on this has already been made. Emergency food and medical supplies have been rushed in.

FORLI AND RAVENNA PROVINCES.

5. The whole of FORLI Province has now been liberated. No particular difficulties have been encountered but latent political activity which is forbidden in the Army area, and which smoulders under the surface is more noticeable here. Organisations such as the C.I.N. and Com. di Lavoro have both been firmly handled by the Provincial Commissioners and C.A.Os whenever they have shown signs of erupting into life. The situation continues quiet and in hand at the moment.

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6.

Italian Administration.

All Branches of the Italian Provincial administration in FORLI Province have now been reactivated and are beginning to function. RAVENNA is not yet so advanced.

7.

Public Safety.

The C.C.R.R. are functioning normally. 50 C.C.R.R. have been moved into FAENZA. 2 C.C.R.R. were killed by shellfire in RUSSI. A survey has been made of the prisons at FORLI and the Reformatory and jails at CESENA and SANT'ARCANGELO. The equipment is found to be in a very bad condition, and in many cases the bedding is disgraceful. There is a serious shortage of staff, the quality and morale of what there is, is bad.

It may be necessary for Army to take over FORLI Prison as a Court Martial Centre, in which case the overflow of prisoners from FORLI Province will be handled at RAVENNA. Portentously the prison population is low, and no overcrowding or serious difficulty is anticipated.

Two female enemy agents were sentenced to death by General Military Court held at RICCIONE on 19th December, 44.

Public Safety

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6. Public Health.

In PULI Province the typhoid epidemic improvement has been maintained, admissions to hospital at RUMI now average two per day.

The Provincial Laboratory at PULI is expected to open early in January.

An Italian specialist has been brought up to reorganise the treatment of venereal disease amongst the Indians. A special Venereal Disease hospital is being opened at PULI shortly.

A mild form of dysentery is a problem met in LAVERA City and is being investigated.

9. Public Works.

Progress is being made with the replacement of Bailey bridges on Route 74.

Plans and estimates are being rushed forward for the construction of bridges on other roads to replace Bailey bridges shortly to be lifted, and which will result in commerce in PULI being completely isolated. In LAVERA Province work has commenced on widening the flooded areas in the Province. Breaches in the river and canal banks have been temporarily repaired, and five tide control gates put into operation. One pumping station is already functioning, as a result of which and the dry weather, there is an appreciable improvement in the water level.

10. Industry.

The SAPIA Alcohol Plant at PULI/PULI has been inspected and found to be in perfect condition. Electric power is available.

Over 2,000,000 unbleached burlap are available in PULI Province, and four brick kilns are to be started up to burn these. Certain stocks of coal are being made available by the Army for the kilns, but shortage of transport for the coal is holding up the restarting of the factories.

11. Supplies.

Total stocks as at 22 December, 1944, are 8049 tons, distributed as follows:

ARMY	3334 tons.
RUMI	2415 tons.
PULI	1677 tons.
CESEMI	146 tons.
	(Salt)

of this total 5675 tons are flown.

Arrangements have been made with Army S & T to reduce the price for certain forward releases of vegetables to the Army.

36 tons of flour and approximately 3 tons of emergency supplies have been sent into LAVERA, and 6 tons of emergency supplies to LAVERA.

4,000 tons of timber are to be cut under the direction of the Guardia Perestale in the Finca di Classe, LAVERA. Approximately half the timber is allotted to military and the other half to civilian.

9. Public Works.

Progress is being made with the reconstruction of Bailey bridges on Route 71.

Plans and estimates are being prepared for the construction of bridges on other roads to replace Bailey bridges shortly to be lifted, and which will result in commerce in South POKLI being completely isolated.

In RAVENNA Province work has commenced on draining the flooded areas in the Province. Pumps in the river and canal banks have been temporarily repaired, and five tide control gates put into operation. One pumping station is already functioning, as a result of which and the dry weather, there is an appreciable improvement in the water level.

10. Industry.

The SAPIA Electric Co. at PIRIPOROLI has been inspected and found to be in perfect condition. Electric power is available.

Over 2,000,000 unburnt bricks are available in POKLI Province, and four brick kilns are to be started up to burn these. Certain stocks of coal are being made available by the Army for the kilns, but shortage of transport for the coal is holding up the restarting of the factories.

11. Supplies.

Total stocks as at 22 December, 1946, are 8049 tons, distributed as follows:

ANALIZ.	3544 tons.
RIMINI	2445 tons.
FORLI	1577 tons.
CESINA	546 tons.
	(Salt)

of this total 5675 tons are flour.

Arrangements have been made with Army S & T to reduce the price for certain forward releases of vegetables to the Army.

56 tons of flour and approximately 3 tons of emergency supplies have been sent into RAVENNA, and 6 tons of emergency supplies to BACINAGATELLO.

4,000 tons of timber are to be cut under the direction of the Guardia Forestale in the Pineta di Classe, RAVENNA. Approximately half the timber is allotted to military and the other half to civilian requirements.

12. Agriculture.

In POKLI Province decrees by the Prefect covering slaughtering of hogs and livestock census have been approved.

A start is being made in the collection of grain still held on farms in RAVENNA Province, but is proceeding very slowly owing to the shortage of transport, and the fact that most of the roads in the area are being used by the military for operations.

13. Finance.

Preliminary financing of land reclamation programs in RAVENNA Province has been arranged to enable work to be started. Estimate for total cost is in course of preparation.

14. Labour.

Provincial Labour Office is being set up and will shortly be functioning. Coincident with this an order under the Fascist cooperative syndicates illegal is to be published, but General Order No. 28 will not be published until the area passes to Regional control. There is a serious shortage of labour in FURLI for army purposes, but it is hoped to remedy this by a registration of able bodied men which is at present in progress.

15. Education.

Schools in the southern part of FODJI Province have been opened and are functioning under the supervision of the Provveditorato agli Studi.

16. Monuments & Wineries.

First aid work for instant monuments at RAVENNA which have been damaged, is being carried out with enthusiasm under the direction of M.F.A.A. Officer of this A.C. with a local voluntary committee.

Satisfaction is expressed by this officer at the attitude of and respect shown by troops towards the protected monuments in RAVENNA City.

REFUGEES.

17. The number of refugees is tending to increase as a result of the stabilisation of the front. So far existing A.M.G. Camps and A.C. Holding Centres have been sufficient to cope with a programme which is almost entirely one of holding local refugees, whose homes are either uninhabitable or in the battle area. Additional holding centres are being set up in RAVENNA Province in anticipation of further increase in numbers shortly.

5,000 lire for each of the A.M.G. Vaccination Camps was received from the Vatican to provide a Christmas Dinner for refugees. This has been distributed.

MISCELLANEOUS.18. San Marino.

All A.M.G. responsibility for SAN MARINO has been handed to Region EMILIA.

19. Prince UMBERTO paid a brief visit to FURLI and RAVENNA on the 21st and 22nd December, in each case accompanied by the Prefettura and received members of the C.L.N.

20. A new Order restricting the movement of civilians to 3 kms in Divisional areas has been issued at the request of A.C.

No. 785016

Comments & Notes

Schools in the southern part of NOCI Province have been opened and are functioning under the direction of the Provveditorato agli Studi.

First aid work for the street furniture at BIRMINGHAM, which have been damaged, is being carried out with enthusiasm under the direction of N.E.L.A., Officer of this work, with a local voluntary committee.

Satisfaction is expressed by this officer at the attitude of and respect shown by townspeople towards the postal employees in PAVENA City.

RENTAL EARNINGS

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Er Beer w/c
1st Group Captain,
Officer Commanding,
H.Q., 4th B. 8th AFY.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
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AC/14080/RS

6 February, 1945

SUBJECT : Additional Restrictions on the Movement of
Civilians in the Army Zone.

TO : See Distribution List Below.

Reference is made to Executive Memorandum No. 77 dated
31 August 1944.

1. As a result of the placing of additional restrictions on movement in the Army Zone, applications for passes for civilians to proceed beyond the line Phonanzio (R-03) - Pistoia - Pisa will not be made by telephone or signal.
2. Where the reasons for wishing to cross the line referred to in paragraph 1 are considered sufficient to justify the granting of permission, Sub-Commissions will submit a written application to the H.Q. A.Z.G. Fifth Army. A completed pass for the proposed journey MUST be attached to the application. Applications emanating in Regions will be forwarded direct to A.Z.G. Fifth Army by Regional Commissioners.
3. It will be noted that Lucca and Viareggio lie north of the line referred to in paragraph 1.
4. Attention is called to the fact that application for passes to other parts of the Army Zone must not be made by telephone or signal except in the most urgent cases.

For the Chief Commissioner :

WCE/G.

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S. R. LEJOSE, Esq.
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HQS, AG.

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Reference is made to Executive Memorandum No. 77 dated 21 August 1944.

1. As a result of the placing of additional restrictions on movement in the Army Zone, applications for passes for civilians to proceed beyond the line Brescia (R-02) - Pistoia - Pisa will not be made by telephone or signal.
2. Where the reasons for wishing to cross the line referred to in paragraph 1 are considered sufficient to justify the granting of permission, Sub-Commissions will submit a written application to the H.Q. A.M.G. Fifth Army. A completed pass for the proposed journey will be attached to the application. Applications emanating in Regions will be forwarded direct to A.M.G. Fifth Army by Regional Commissions.
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For the chief Commissioner :

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
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INTER OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Ref : L78800

January, 1945

AC/14080/P

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement.
TO : Chief of Staff (Liaison Branch)

In view of the fact that the whole of the area to the south of the Rear Army Control Line now lies outside the territorial jurisdiction of 15 Army Group, AFHQ has requested that the special passes issued to Members of the Central Italian Government, in accordance with paragraph 10 (b) of Executive Memorandum No 77, be forwarded to the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, AFHQ, for counter-signature.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE :

G. R. UPDEGROVE, Brig.
VP CA Sec.
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Tel : 176800

January, 1945

AD/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement

TO : AFHQ, Office of the Assistant
Chief of Staff, G-2.

1. The instruction contained in your letter
GE/ 989.455/7, dated 16 January, 1945, has been noted
at this Headquarters, and action will be taken accord-
ingly.

2. Executive Memorandum No 77 will shortly be
revised, and the opportunity will then be taken to
amend paragraph 10 (b) to accord with your instruction.

For The Chief Commissioner :

G. B. WITCHAM, Brig.
AF HQ Sec.
DOOR, AG.

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AG/14060/PS

30 January 1945

SUBJECT : Additional Restrictions on the Movement of Civilians
In the Army Zone.

TO : See Distribution List Below.

Reference is made to Executive Memorandum No. 77 dated 31
August 1944.

1. Additional restrictions have been placed on the Movement of Civilians in the Army Zone as indicated in paragraph 2.
2. The restrictions are:
 - (a) Movement north of a line running through Barberino, Scarperia, Borgo San Lorenzo, Dicomano, is prohibited and applications for passes will not be considered.
 - (b) The territory north and west of the line indicated in paragraph 3 has been closed to all civilians, unless such civilians are in possession of movement passes signed by one of three officers who are stationed inside the area enclosed by the line.
3. The line referred to in paragraph 2 (b) is as follows:
"Mouth of the Serchio River, Autostrada to Altopascio, north to 90 Northing, thence east along 90 Northing to road Prato-Sasso - Bolognese; thence north along the road Prato - Sasso Bolognese".
It will be noted that Lucca and Viarezzo lie within this area.
4. Applications for passes to places within the area mentioned in paragraph 3 should be made to the S.C.A.O. HQ. AMG Fifth Army, who will transmit them to the appropriate authority for approval. Passes will be completed at the point of departure and transmitted with the application.
5. Attention is drawn to the fact that the use of telephones or telegraph for making application for passes to enter Army Zone must be

limited to extremely urgent cases. The telephone or telegraph will not be used in connection with applications for passes to the area mentioned in paragraph 3.

6. You will be advised as soon as there is any relaxation of the restrictions referred to in paragraph 2.

For the Chief Commissioner:

G.R. UPJOHN, Brig
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2.
APO 512, U.S. ARMY.

GBI.369.455/7

16 January, 1945

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement.

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission.

Reference A.C. Executive Memorandum No 77 forwarded
under cover of your Ref/316/292/CA of 31 August, 1944.

In view of the fact that the whole of the area
to the south of the Rear Army Security Control Line now lies
outside the Territorial jurisdiction of 15 Army Group it is
requested that the special passes issued to members of the
central Italian Government, in accordance with paragraph 10 (b)
of the above mentioned memorandum, should henceforth be
forwarded to this office for counter-signature.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2.

P. Daly Lewis
Maj-G2.

7 S.S. HILL-DILLON,
Colonel, G.S.,
G-2 (CI) Section.

Copy to : G.S.I(b) H.Q. 15 Army Group.
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TO		
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REFERENCE: 209/8-1

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DRGM:HDP

13 January 1945.

SUBJECT : Control of civilian movement.

TO : H.Q. Allied Commission - Civil Affairs Branch.

Reference Map of Italy 1,200,000, Sheets 11-12.

1. The local commanders have declared the area North and West of the following line closed to civilian movement; civilians may only enter the zone if they are in possession of a pass signed by one of three officers who are stationed inside the prohibited zone.

Mouth of the Serchio River- Autostrada to Altopascio - North to 90 northing; thence east along 90 northing to road PRATO - SASSO BOLOGNESE; thence north along the road PRATO - SASSO BOLOGNESE.

You will note that the area includes Lucca and Viareggio.

2. It is therefore requested that all concerned be advised that until further notice, no applications for permission to enter these areas can be considered if made by telephone or signal. It is necessary that a pass be completed at the point of departure and transmitted through this Headquarters to the appropriate office with the power of counter-signature.

3. In the case of civilians desiring to make a "round trip" of the Army area it is suggested that permission be obtained for them in the normal way to come as far as Florence. On arrival here they can call at this office and if the object of the journey is considered of sufficient importance their pass will be sent forward from here for counter-signature.

4. In addition to the above no applications will be considered for permission to go North of a line running through Barberino - Scarperia - Borgo San Lorenzo - Dicomano.

5. You will be advised immediately of any relaxation in the above regulations.

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6. It is again requested that the use of telephone and telegraph for application for permits be limited to extremely urgent cases only.

For the Commanding General:

Abdullah Majid

* R.V.D. JANZAN.
Lt. Col., Cav.,
Acting Chief of Staff,
A.M.G. Fifth Army.

Copy to:

Civil Affairs Section - 15th Army Group.

R.C. Toscana. ✓

A.M.G. Eighth Army. ✓

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A.M.G. L.O. XIII CORPS. ✓

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
R.C. - N. A. SECTION
APO 594

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Ref/316/390/34

31 August 1944

EXECUTIVE MEMORANDUM)

NUMBER

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CONTROL OF CIVILIAN MOVEMENT

1. This directive revises and consolidates the following memoranda, which should be cancelled :

316/75/34	"Control of Civilian Movement" dated 26 April 1944.
316/74/34	"Standard Form of Civilian pass" dated 26 April 1944.
316/73/34	"Control of Civilian Movement" dated 26 April 1944.
316/64/34	"Control of Movement" dated 4 May 1944.
316/ /34	"Control of Movement" dated 17 July 1944.
316/192/34	"Passes for Italian Government Officials" dated 21 July 1944

2 Introduction

In the interests of security it is imperative that a wide and effective system of control of civilian movement be maintained.

Allied Control Commission Officers will make themselves familiar with the following instructions, and will take all necessary measures to ensure that the instructions are scrupulously observed by all concerned. They will accord the military security services all possible assistance at all times.

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316/77/24	"Control of Civilian Movement" dated 26 April 1944.
316/84/24	"Control of Movement" dated 4 May 1944.
316/ /24	"Control of Movements" dated 17 July 1944.
316/149/24	"Passes for Italian Government Officials" dated 21 July 1944.

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3 Definitions

(a) Army Zone means the territory which lies south of the fighting line and north of the Rear Army Control Line.

This territory approximately covers the Army and Corps areas.

(b) Rear Army Control Line means the line dividing the Army Zone from the restricted zone.

A.I. has published posters which will be exhibited on all roads which cross this line. A 24 hour system of control will be arranged by Military Security Authorities.

(c) Restricted Zone means the territory which lies south of the Rear Army Control Line and north of the Restricted Line.

(d) Restricted Line means the line dividing the Restricted Zone from the free zone.

(c) Free Zone means the territory which lies south of the Restricted Line.

N.B. The term Free Army Boundary referred to in General Order No. 24 and Free Army Control Line referred to in this instruction will be regarded as synonymous until further notice.

Note : Circulation is free on the islands of Elbe, Sicily and Sardinia, but movement between the islands and the mainland is restricted. See para 6 (c).

4 Details concerning the Free Army Control Line and the Restricted Line are given in Appendix "A" to this memorandum. Details of these lines must be published locally from time to time. This will be in AMZ/ACG responsibility.

5 Enforcement Orders.

- (a) Army Zone - Proclamation No. 1
- (b) Restricted Zone : AMZ Territory/
(General Order No 24 (Revised))
- (c) Italian Government Territory (part of the Restricted Zone and responsible of movement between Sicily, Sardinia and Malindi). Orders issued by the Prefetti who act under instructions issued by Minister of the Interior.
- (d) Elbe - Orders issued by the Prefetto.

6 Restrictions and Issuing Authority for Passes.

(a) Army Zone and Free Army Control Line

(1) Civilians are forbidden to travel more than 10 kms, or to enter or leave the zone, unless in possession of a pass issued by the SMO Fifth or Eighth Army. When, however, a province within the Army Zone has been handed over to Regional Control, the competent authority to issue a pass is the Provincial Commissioner of the Province concerned, and not SMO Fifth or Eighth Army.

(11) Civilians resident outside the zone who wish to cross the control line into the Army Zone will make application for passes to the Quarter or AMZ/ACG, office at the point of departure. Regional Commissioners will refer all such applications direct to the SMO or Provincial Commissioner concerned within the zone (see preceding sub-paragraph) for his approval.

(111) Directors of Sub-Commissions and Branches, HQ 400 may make applications for passes for civilians to enter the Army Zone direct to SMO Fifth or Eighth Army, or the Provincial Commissioner concerned.

Details concerning the Army Control Line and the Restricted Line are given in Appendix "A" to this memorandum. Details of these lines must be publicized locally from time to time. This will be an AGO/ACC responsibility.

5 Enforcement Orders.

- (a) Army Zone - Proclamation No. 1
- (b) Restricted Zone - AGO Territory.
(General Order No. 24 (revised))
- (c) Italian Government Territory (Part of the Restricted Zone and restriction of movement between Sicily, Sardinia and Mainland). Orders issued by the Prefetti are not under instructions issued by Minister of the Interior.
- (d) Elba - Orders issued by the Prefetto.

6 Restrictions and Issuing Authority for Passes.

(a) Army Zone and Near Army Control Line

- (i) Civilians are forbidden to travel more than 10 kms. or to enter or leave the zone, unless in possession of a pass issued by the SCAG Fifth or Eighth Army. When, however, a province within the Army Zone has been handed over to Regional Control, the competent authority to issue a pass is the Provincial Commissioner of the Province concerned, and not SCAG Fifth or Eighth Army.

- (ii) Civilians resident outside the zone who wish to cross the control line into the Army Zone will make application for passes to the Quarters or AGO/ACC, office at the point of departure. Regional Commissioners will refer all such applications direct to the SCAG or Provincial Commissioner concerned within the zone (see preceding sub-paragraph) for his approval.

- (iii) Directors of Sub-Commissions and Branches, HQ AGO may make applications for passes for civilians to enter the Army Zone direct to SCAG Fifth or Eighth Army, or the Provincial Commissioner concerned.

- (iv) Officers dealing with such applications should complete standard passes (provided they are satisfied with the sufficiency of the reasons for such travel, see sub-paragraph (v) below), and forward them together with the application to the SCAG/PO of the destination for approval, signature and return.

- (v) The issue of passes will be strictly limited to those cases where the journey will directly benefit the Allied cause, and applications must not be forwarded to SCAG's Armies or Provincial Commissioners except in such cases.

- (vi) Where, in cases of extreme urgency, the procedure outlined in sub-paragraph (v) (ii) would be impracticable owing to the time factor, the passes may be issued at the point of departure providing prior approval is obtained from the SCAG or T.O. concerned by signal or telephone. In such cases details of the issue of such passes

will be forwarded immediately to the SCAG (or Provincial Commissioner) of the area of destination. The issue of every such pass issued will bear the following endorsement:

"I hereby certify that prior approval for the issue of this pass was obtained from..... and that a copy of the pass has been forwarded to..... in accordance with Executive Memorandum No. 77.

Name.....
Rank.....

(vii) When the SCAG Fifth or Eighth Army request the presence of a civilian in the Army and Corps Areas, Sub-Commissions dealing with this matter will apply to the Adjutant for travel orders for the person concerned.

(viii) Attention is drawn to AGO letter 309/102/CA of 29 July 1944 on to AGO Officers visiting Army and Corps Areas.

b) Restricted Zone and Restricted Line.

(i) No civilian may travel from one province to another or cross the restricted line unless in possession of a pass.

(ii) The issue of passes will be limited to persons who show good and sufficient reason why they wish to travel, whether on official matters, business or family grounds.

(iii) In Italian Government territory passes to places South of the Rear Army Control Line will be issued by the Quarters at the point of departure. Regional Commissioners will supply Quarters with the necessary "Movement of Civilian" pass for this purpose. Regional Public Safety Officers will ensure that Quarters are familiar with these instructions, and that passes are issued only in accordance with them.

(iv) In AGO territory in the Restricted Zone, Provincial Commissioners may authorize specified approval officers of the Quarters and OCs to issue passes for travel South of the Rear Army Control Line.

(v) It is emphasized that civilians wishing to cross the Rear Army Control Line must be in possession of passes issued by SCAG Provincial Commissioners within the Army Zone.

c) Restriction of travel between Sicily, Sardinia and the Mainland.

Passes may be issued as under sub-paragraph (b).

d) Quarters of War.

Freedom of movement exists between the Quarters of Naples and the surrounding Italian Government territory subject of course to the general instructions.

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- (ii) The issue of passes will be limited to persons who show good and sufficient reason why they wish to travel, whether on official matters, business or family grounds.
- (iii) In Italian Government territory passes to places south of the Rear Army Control Line will be issued by the Questure and CC.MR. to Regional Commissioners will supply questionnaires with the necessary information of civilian passes for this purpose. Regional Public Safety Offices will ensure that questionnaires are familiar with these instructions, and that passes are issued only in accordance with them.
- (iv) In the territory in the Restricted Zone, Provincial Commissioners may authorize specified approved officers of the Questure and CC.MR. to issue passes for travel south of the Rear Army Control Line.
- (v) It is emphasized that civilians wishing to cross the Rear Army Control Line must be in possession of passes issued by the Provincial Commissioners within the Army Zone.

c) Restriction of travel between Sicily, Sardinia and the Mainland.

Passes may be issued as under sub-paragraph (b).

a) Commune of Naples.

Freedom of Movement exists between the Commune of Naples and the surrounding Italian Government territory subject of course to the general instructions contained in this memorandum. 2884

7 Passes.

a) Form of Pass.

The standard form of civilian pass (yellow with blue duplicate) will be used. No other form will be recognized, with the exception of the authorization mentioned in para 8 below.

b) Completion of Pass.

It is necessary that uniformity shall be observed in the wording of facilities granted and therefore the following instructions will be strictly observed:

- (i) Passes will be completed in ink or typewritten - Pencil will not be used.
- (ii) The identity card number of the bearer will be endorsed on every pass at the time of issue.
- (iii) All amounts, weights, dates, involving the use of figures will be written in words as well as figures.
- (iv) The precise nature of the journey must be clearly defined, and the nature and quantity of goods to be carried must be stated.
- (v) No pass shall be issued to one province to enable persons to purchase "passaged" goods in another province without the prior approval of the Provincial Authorities concerned.
- (vi) Particulars of motor vehicles will not be recorded on the pass unless a motor vehicle obstructing permit covering the use of the vehicle has already been issued for the journey in question.
- (vii) Permission to travel during hours of traffic will be granted only in exceptional circumstances.
- (viii) The limit of availability of the pass shall not exceed the minimum of time necessary to complete the proposed journey and to transmit the applicant's business. If unforeseen circumstances render an extension necessary the officer issuing the pass will advise the original office of issue of his action. All amendments to, or endorsement upon, passes (e.g. with regard to extension, validity or duration) will be made on the back of the pass, and dated, dated and clearly so that no question of ambiguity arises. In the case of the Army, however, passes will not be made out for indefinite periods but for more than one specific journey.

Emergency Passes Issued by Military.

It has been agreed with JAF that if a responsible Allied Military authority has occasion to employ a civilian on a particular operational or intelligence task requiring the issue of a pass and if it is impracticable, owing to the time factor or other circumstances for the appropriate JCO/JNO pass to be obtained, the military authority concerned may make out a temporary pass for the purpose. There will rarely be occasion for this type of authorization.

Issue of Travel Tickets.

Allied Control Commission officers will ensure that transport tickets are not issued by the railway authorities or other travel agencies to persons within restricted areas unless the persons applying for tickets are in possession of a proper pass to their intended destination.

- (v) No pass shall be issued in any province to enable persons to purchase "unmanned" loads in another province without the prior approval of the Provincial authorities concerned.
- (vi) Particulars of motor vehicles shall not be recorded on the passes unless a motor vehicle circulating permit covering the use of the vehicle has already been issued for the journey in question.
- (vii) Permission to travel during hours of curfew will be granted only in exceptional circumstances.
- (viii) The limit of availability of the pass shall not exceed the minimum of time necessary to complete the proposed journey and to transfer the applicant's business. If unforeseen circumstances render an extension necessary the officer issuing the pass will advise the original office of issue of his action. All amendments to, or extension upon, passes (e.g. in regard to extension, validity or direction) will be made on the back of the pass, and worded simply and clearly so that no question of ambiguity arises. In the case of the Army passes, however, passes will not be made out for indefinite periods but for more than one specific journey.

Emergency Passes Issued by Military.

It has been agreed with A.I. that if a responsible Allied Military authority has occasion to employ a civilian on a particular operational or intelligence task requiring the issue of a pass and if it is impracticable, owing to the time factor or other circumstances for the appropriate A.C.C./M.G. pass to be obtained, the Military authority concerned may make out a temporary pass for the purpose. There will rarely be occasion for this type of authorization.

Issue of Travel Tickets.

Allied Central Commission officials will ensure that transport tickets are not issued by the railway authorities or other travel agencies to places within restricted areas unless the person applying for tickets are in possession of a proper pass to their intended destination.

Italian Government Officials.

(a) Government Officials of the Central Italian Government.

The method of issuing passes to Government officials of the Central Italian Government will be as follows: The official will apply to the corresponding A.C.C. Section, Sub-Commission or Branch for a pass. If approved, Sub-Comms or Branches of the Administrative, Economic and R.C. & M.G. Sections, will forward the passes in duplicate through their Sections, to the Secretary-General for signature. In the case of the Political Section, Independent Sub-Comms and Public Relations Branch, passes approved by them will be forwarded direct to the Secretary-General for signature. All passes will be made out in duplicate on the standard yellow and blue forms, and the duplicate will bear the following endorsement, before they reach the Secretary-General:

The facts set forth in the application for this pass are to be verified and the provisions of Executive Memorandum No. 77 have been fully complied with.

Name

Rank

Date

(b) Special Passes for Ministers of the Central Italian Government.

Passes for Ministers of the Central Italian Government will be prepared by appropriate Sub-Commissions and Branches (in duplicate) and forwarded through their Section to the Secretary-General for signature. Standard 402 yellow and blue passes only will be used, and they will cover movement anywhere south of the Rear Army Control Line. They will be valid for a period of three months, expiring 31 March, 31 June, 30 September and 31 December, and will bear the following information: "S..... (designation of office) is hereby authorized to proceed to any part of Italy south of the Army Control Line. He should be given every facility and courtesy".

After signature by the Secretary-General the passes be forwarded by him to HQ 441, GSI (b) for counter-signature.

11 Italian Military Personnel.

The movement of members of the Italian Armed Forces is unrestricted provided they are on duty, in possession of proper credentials, and subject to certain regulations which have been laid down by the Allied Military Authorities (with which the Italian Military Authorities are conversant). The Italian Armed Forces when not on duty, e.g. when on leave, are subject to the same restrictions as civilians.

In the case of Italian Armed Forces moving north of the Inter Army Control Line, the credentials will be countersigned by 441, GSI or HQ Liaison Officer, General Staff, (2R) or G-2 or G-3 Sections (US). The countersignature will be accompanied by the office stamp of the officer countersigning.

Immobilisation passes will be prepared in proper credentials for movement south of the Rear Army Control Line for the original journey made on discharge.

The Italian Supreme Command has instructed Italian Service Commanders that, in the case of Italian Military Personnel:

- (a) Military leave passes to places requiring movement passes will be issued only after the civilian movement pass has been obtained and the two passes can be issued together.
- (b) Passes will not be granted to places in the Army Zone.

Passes will be obtained from the Allied Control Commission.

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11 Italian Military Personnel.

The movement of members of the Italian Armed Forces is unrestricted provided they are on duty, in possession of proper credentials, and subject to certain regulations which have been laid down by the Allied Military Authorities (with which the Italian Military authorities are conversant). The Italian Armed Forces when not on duty, e.g. when on leave, are subject to the same restrictions as civilians.

In the case of Italian Armed Forces moving north of the Rear Army Control Line, the credentials will be countersigned by AFHQ, AFHQ or AFHQ Liaison Officers, General Staff, (G-1) or G-2 or G-3 Sections (OS). The countersignatures will be accompanied by the office stamp of the officer countersigning.

Intelligence reports will be regarded as proper credentials for movement south of the Rear Army Control Line for the original journey from on discharge.

The Italian Supreme Command has instructed Italian Service Commanders that, in the case of Italian Military personnel:

- (a) military leave passes to places requiring movement passes will be issued only after the civilian movement pass has been obtained and the two passes can be issued together.
- (b) leave will not be granted to places in the Army Zone.
- (c) movement passes will be obtained from the Allied Control Commission or the authority by the Commanders concerned under arrangements with local ACO officers.

12 (c) Italian Officials and the Diplomatic Corps.

Applications for passes from Vatican Officials and the Diplomatic Corps will be dealt by the Liaison Officer, HQ ACO and Political Section, respectively, in the manner outlined in paragraph 10 (c).

(b) Journalists.

Some press passes/journalists are issued by the Public Relations Officer, AFAC, with a green card "FREEZE IN DISSEMINATION". This card entitles an individual in the back to the effect that the board is permitted to travel in Indonesia to circulation after further and to enter official premises occupied by United Control Commission in liberated Italy. This pass does not apply to army troops. While to ensure the endorsement will be considered by the equivalent of the standard, pass in the restricted area from board, the standard pass will be required in addition to the pass to enter the army zone.

13. Small-Mediums Passes.

In the case of persons living near a Provincial boundary and whose place of employment is in, or partly in, an adjoining Province or Provinces, a small-medium pass may be issued and such passes shall expire on 31 March, 30 June, 30 September and 31 December annually, and then become renewable upon further application. Such passes may also be issued to all persons who have sufficient reason for frequent travel between Provinces. This provision will not apply to army troops.

14. Military Travel Authorization (to travel outside District).

Application will be dealt with in accordance with Executive Memorandum of 61 dated 25 May 1944.

15. Refugees.

Passes must not be issued to refugees except when associated with religious communities, or in accordance with policy laid down by Refugee Branch, HQ JCS.

16. Check Posts.(a) In Allied Military Operations Territory.

In the army zone in territory administered by military authorities Government every effort will be made to enforce the above instructions by means of a checked system of "stop" check posts, which will be established for a few hours daily at appropriate times in the evening points. The responsibility of enforcing such checks will rest with the Military Security Directorate.

The object of these check posts will be:

(1) to ^{check} to ~~total~~ those applying to cross outside the prescribed limits without a pass.

(2) to take action against those who have committed serious and frequent breaches of the regulations.

(3) to question or detain for investigation persons whose conduct or possession of weapons is suspicious.

in the case of persons staying in the Province of Province, the period of employment is 12, 21 partly in, an adjoining Province on 31 March. Semi-permanent pass may be issued and such person shall be liable upon 30 June, 30 September and 31 December annually, and then become renewable upon further application. Such persons may also be issued to all persons to have sufficient reason for frequent travel between Provinces. This provision will not apply to army units.

14. Military Travel Authorization (a travel outside Italy).

Application will be dealt with in accordance with Executive Order No. 61 dated 25 May 1944.

15. Refugees.

Passes must not be issued to refugees until they are reintegrated with regions concerned, or in accordance with policy laid down by Refugee Branch.

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16. Check Posts.

(a) In Military Government Territory.

In the Army Zone and in territory administered by Allied Military Government, every effort will be made to enforce the above regulations by means of a widespread system of "check posts", which will be established for a few hours daily at irregular times in it varying points. The responsibility of arranging such checks will rest with the Military Security Authority.

The object of these check posts will be:

- (i) to ^{check} to ^{back} to ^{back} to those seeking to move outside the prescribed limits without a pass.
- (ii) to take action against those who have committed serious and flagrant breaches of the regulations.
- (iii) to question of action for investigation persons whose conduct or "status" is suspicious.

(b) Italian Government Territory.

In the territory administered by the Italian Government a similar system of "check posts" will be established. In this instance, however, the objects will be limited to:

- (i) to check questioning those passing the point with a view to discovering suspicious individuals who appear to be subject to further interrogation and investigation, and
- (ii) installing a sense of insecurity in the minds of agents or other undesirable individuals so that they may hesitate to move about or even abandon their mission.

(c) Organisation and Composition.

This system of check posts will be organised by Army, Corps, District and Area Section Headquarters and not by AMB/ACC, both in Military Government and Italian Government territories.

These check posts will normally be manned by appropriate combinations, according to circumstances of RSP/SIC, SIM (SS), CC NR and Guardia di Finanza.

Every effort will be made by Allied Control Commission Officers to ensure the fullest co-operation of the Italian Police in connection with these duties.

17 Any future alterations to these regulations, which are now to be considered as standard, will be issued in the form of amendments to this memorandum.

s/ E.V. SHIFF Lt Col,
for M.S. LUSH,
Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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His Excellency, Minister of Interior.

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Commanding General, CCNR.

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1. 5. Letter, 200 5th Army, dated 12 December, 1961, subject as above will be amended as indicated below:

(a) Paragraph 2 (a)
Cancel existing sub-paragraph and substitute the following:-

Services of:	5th Army	5th Army
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(b) Paragraph 3.
Cancel existing paragraph and substitute the following new paragraph:

13. Communication and early in evening, travel permits has been caused by not forwarding applications to the command responsible authority. Application for permit to travel into the fifth and eighth army areas is indicated in paragraph 2 (a) will be forwarded to the Deputy Chief Civil Affairs Officer at Headquarters 5th Army Group. After as applications for permit to travel into those previously shown in para 2 (a) which are located north of the Rear Army Group line will be sent direct to the Regional Commander concerned.

In Command of Rear Army Group

[Signature]
Major General, MRC
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Copy to: AFHQ 5-2 Section
FOUO 200 5th Army Group
(Your 20/2.1 of 16 Dec refers)

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION
APO 394

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Public Safety Division.
23rd December, 1944.

File No. :- LUR/8/1/PS.

Subject :- Control of Civilian Movement.

To :- HQ., AC., Public Safety Sub-Commission,
(Attention: Major W.C. Ballance).

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Reference your AC/14080/PS of 19th December, 1944, renewed instructions have been issued to Provincial Public Safety Officers to instruct all Pass issuing authorities that civilian movement passes authorising travel to indefinite destinations, such as "Liberated Central Italy" must not be issued.

For the Regional Commissioner:

C.T. Francis

C.T. FRANCIS.
Lt. Colonel.
RPSO., LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 394

Tel : 478800

19 December, 1944.

MC/14080/PS

SUBJECT : Control of Movement.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Tuscany Region.

1. Your letter R.VIII/11A, dated 4 December, 1944, refers.
2. Regional Commissioner, Lazio Umbria Region has been requested to instruct his CAPO's that civilian movement passes must not be issued which authorize travel to indefinite destinations such as "Liberated Central Italy".
3. This instruction will be given a wider circulation at a later date.

By Command of Rear Admiral EPONE,

G.S. P. BRINSON, Brig.
A/VP, CA Sec.
A/DOCS, AC.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
AP 394

See 4A

Tel : 489081

19 December, 1944.

AC/14080/RS

SUBJECT : Control of Civilian Movement.

TO : Regional Commissioner, ~~Toscana Region~~ *Lazio Umbria*

1. Cases have come to notice of civilians being issued with movement passes which do not clearly specify the movement authorized.

2. Regional Commissioner, Toscana Region, quotes a concrete example. A certain Antonio MORZILLI, who was arrested in the Army Zone was issued with a pass by the GAPD., West Tiber Area, authorizing him to travel from Rome to Naples, Bari and Lecce and Liberated Central Italy. The man is said to have believed that this pass authorized him to cross the Rear Army Control Line.

3. It is requested that instructions be issued to your GAPD's that civilian movement passes must not be issued which authorize travel to indefinite destinations such as "Liberated Central Italy".

W.C. Ballance

for
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

WCB/C.

Copy : R.C. Toscana Reg.
(Your XVIII/11A of 4 December refers)

Ministry of Interior
(Direzione Generale della Pubblica Sicurezza).

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TOSCANA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

Public Safety / A

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4 Dec 44

SUBJECT : Travel Permits for Civilians.

TO : HQ., A.C.

1. Cases have been reported to this HQ of civilians being issued with travel permits which do not clearly specify the places through which they are authorized to pass.

2. To quote a concrete example. A certain ANTONIO NOZZOLI, working for the Vatican, was issued with a pass by C.A.P.O. WEST TIBER AREA, authorizing him to travel from ROME to NAPLES, BARI and LECCE and Liberated Central Italy. The man believed this pass allowed him to cross the Army Control Line and consequently he was arrested.

3. In order to prevent these occurrences in future my instructions please be given to stop passes being issued which do not state clearly the places where travel is authorized and it is requested that a vague destination such as "Liberated Central Italy" be avoided as it causes misunderstanding and confusion.

For the Regional Commissioner:

J. Howard Salter
J. HOWARD SALTER,
Major, R.A.,
Adjutant.

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