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PRISON UNIFORMS, PRISON STAFF
OCT. 1943 - NOV. 1945

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

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14 November 1945

AC/14203/PS

SUBJECT : Uniform for Prison Guards.

TO : R.C. Piemonte Region
(attn of RP30)

1. Reference your PR/PS/41/6 of 1 June 45
and our reply AC/14601/8/PS of 13 July 45.

2. Information has just been received from
the Minister of Grace and Justice that the 207
uniforms for guards of Cuneo, Asti and Turin, still
await collection at Casa di Reclusione Rome.

Colond. Ham
/ JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director. 3980

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(Translation E.C.)

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MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE

Rome 1 Nov. 1945

8 Office

N° 47823.17 Prisons

To ALLIED COMMISSION
SUB COMMISSION OF F.S.
R O M E

SUBJECT: Uniform for custody agents.

With ref. to what communicated in a/m, we assure you that this Ministry will do its best to comply with the clothing needs of custody agents residing in the A.S.G. territory.

We beg to point out, though, that the possibilities of this Ministry are still very limited as is shown in N° 46974, dated 15 Oct. 45, when we requested your concern on behalf of the F.S. in order to obtain an assignment of uniforms and footwear for the custody agents.

We furthermore inform you, that there are still another 207 uniforms awaiting withdrawal in the Rome Reclusion Institute, intended for the custody agents in the provinces of Asti, Cuneo and Turin which were requested by you with N° A.C. 14601/8 D.S. on 12 June last and communicated with N° 3984.14 in June 27, 1945.

Said uniforms, as agreed upon, are at your disposal, and can be withdrawn at any time.

For the Minister

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12/60/8

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*Ministero
di Grazia e Giustizia*

*1a Commissione Alleata
Sottocommissione per la P.S.*

DIREZIONE GENERALE
PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREVENZIONE E DI PENA

UFF. 8°

Prot. N. 47823.17 CARCERI

Dispositivo del 11.10.1945

Lu. N. A.G. 14203.P.S.

OGGETTO *divise per agenti di custodia*

Si prende atto di quanto è stato comunicato con la nota sopracitata, e si assicura che questo Ministero farà il possibile per provvedere alle necessità di vestiario che verranno segnalate per gli agenti di custodia residenti nel territorio A.M.G.

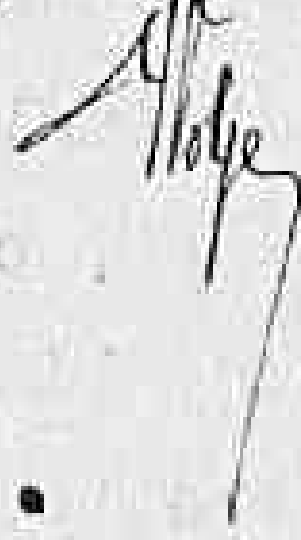
Si fa presente, però, che le possibilità di questo Ministero sono ancora limitatissime e che, anzi, con nota n. 46947 del 19 ottobre u.s. era stato richiesto l'interessamento di codesta Sottocommissione per la P.S. per ottenere una ulteriore assegnazione di uniformi e calzature per gli agenti di custodia.

Si comunica inoltre che sono ancora giacenti, presso la casa di reclusione di Roma, le 207 divise per gli agenti di custodia delle provincie di Asti, Cuneo e Torino, richieste da codesta Sottocommissione con nota n. A.C. 14601/8.P.S. del 12 giugno u.s., come è

stato comunicato con nota n.43644.14 del 27 giugno 1945.

Tali divise, secondo gli accordi intercorsi, sono tenute a disposizione di codesta On.le Sottocommissione e possono essere ritirate in qualsiasi momento.

pel Ministro

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub Commission
APO 394

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AC/14203/PS

30 Oct. 45

SUBJECT : Clothing for Prison Guards

TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice

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Reference your communication, Office 8,
N.46497.14/Prisons, dated 19 October 1945.

1. This Sub Commission appreciates the critical need for uniform items for the prison guards throughout Italy and has consistently used its best efforts to make these articles available thru Allied agencies.

2. In view of the fact that all available clothing items have been and are being turned over to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce, and Labor it is no longer within the jurisdiction of Allied Commission to dispose of this material. It is necessary, therefore, that representations be made to that Ministry.

Very truly yours



JOHN W. CHAIRMAN
Colonel, JAGD
Director

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RMP/pl

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 324

30 October 1945

AC/14203/PS

SUBJECT : Clothing for Prison Guards
TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice. *33 B*

1. The attached communication has been received from Liguria Region, HQ AMG and is forwarded as requested.

2. Your attention is invited to the fact that uniform items for prison guards are no longer at the disposition of Allied Commission, such material as is available having been turned over to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce, and Labor. Applications must, therefore, be made to that Ministry.

Very truly yours,

Rm. 2
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
HEADQUARTERS LIGURIA REGION
APO 394

JET/VD

33A

20 OCT. 1945

PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

15 OCT. 1945

11 October 45.

Ref. : Lig/Saf/560

Subject : Clothing for Prison Guards

To : Public Safety Sub-Commission
Hqs. Allied Commission.

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Application for clothing for prison guard
herewith for onward transmission.

For the Regional Commissioner:

15 OCT 1945

T. Goodacre
Major

T. GOODACRE,
Major,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

TO	DATE	INITIALS
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
CHIEF OF POLICE	27-10	
POLICE		
D.C. 1-1-1		
<i>Di...</i>	27-11	
SECURITY		
CHIEF CLERK		

(Translation Sk)

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE
Direction of Prisons

Chiavari 5-10-1945

N. 746 - 2 - File 8- Lett. B

TO ALLIED COMMISSION
(A.M.G.)
Genova

SUBJECT : Clothing for prison guards.-

As this Direction pointed out with letter n. 449, dated 22 August last, graduates and prison guards in force at these Jails, have not clothing at all.

We thus beg your Command to examine the possibility to furnish 26 pair of shoes, even if militaries, seize from 41 to 44 centimetres.

Considering that the winter is coming it will be opportune to furnish at least 6 woollen-cloth coats and 3 rain-coats, which will be used in turns by the Agents on duty as external sentinels or working in the Section.

We are afraid that the want of said clothing and shoes may cause amongst the Agents cases of measles which will seriously hinder their duties.

We wait for your dispositions.

THE DIRECTOR
/s/ O. Riggio

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(Translation Sk)

23 Oct. 1945

1/20/PS

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19 Oct., 1945

MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE
General Direction for Prisons

Office 8^

N. 46497.14 Prisons

TO ALLIED COMMISSION
Sub-Commission of P.S.
Rome

SUBJECT : Clothing for prison guards -

Last March your Commission assigned 1500 uniforms and others clothing to the prison guards. Furtherly you assigned 1000 pair of used shoes for the same personnel.

Said clothing have been already distributed but they were insufficient to cover the serious want of the Agents considering that said personnel consists in 10.000 guards.

Having been impossible to get further supply of uniforms and shoes, mostly of the Agents were excluded from the distribution; consequently not having any more uniforms they are compelled to wear their own civilian clothes which are in very poor conditions.

This prejudices the Corps prestige and the Agents authority and may cause incidents, in case the public force would have to repress with arms eventual disorders in the jail, being impossible to distinguish agents from prisoners.

The coming winter makes even worse the situation of the Agents without clothes and coats. Directions have already pointed out the possibility that the Agents may abstain from the duty.

This Ministry thus begs to ask you in order to obtain the possibly largest supply of uniforms, coats and shoes in order to improve the present situation.

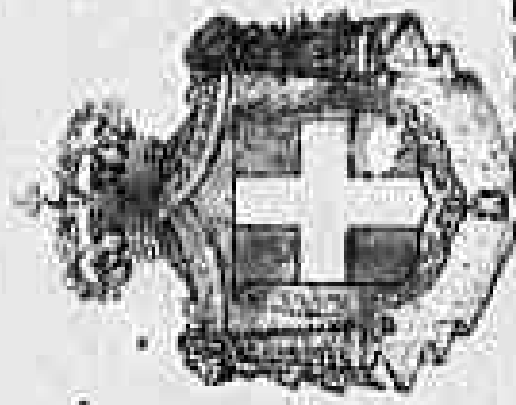
It will also give us the possibility to wait for the regular clothing supply without serious incidents to face with.

A kind, urgent acknowledge receipt will be very appreciate.

for the Minister

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Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

DIREZIONE GENERALE PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREVENZIONE E DI PENA

Ufficio 8°

Prot. N. 46497.14 CANCELLI

Roma, 19 OTT. 1945

Alla Commissione Alleata
Sottocommissione per la I.S.

Es. Dir. 1045

R C M A

O G G E T T O: Vestituario uniforme e calzature per gli agenti di custodia-

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Tali indumenti sono stati già distribuiti, ma il numero di essi è stato insufficiente a soddisfare il gravissimo bisogno di vestiario esistente, tenuto conto anche che l'organico degli agenti di custodia è di oltre 10.000 persone.

Non è stato ancora possibile provvedere, da altre fonti, ad un sufficiente rifornimento di altre divise e calzature, e la maggior parte degli agenti è rimasta così esclusa dalle distribuzioni che si sono potute effettuare. Sicchè oggi, logoratisi gli ultimi indumenti, gli agenti, nella quasi totalità, prestano servizio borghese, con gli abiti da essi posseduti, e che spesso sono in così

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Ciò pregiudica gravemente il prestigio del Corpo e diminuisce l'autorità che gli agenti devono avere di fronte ai detenuti, e potrebbe anche dar luogo a gravi incidenti nel caso che la forza pubblica fosse costretta a reprimere con le armi eventuali disordini nelle carceri, posta, come sarebbe, nell'impossibilità di distinguere gli agenti dai detenuti.

L'inverno incipiente aggrava la situazione per il disagio maggiore che deriverà agli agenti privi di divise di panno e di cappotti, e già delle direzioni hanno segnalato la possibilità di astensioni dal servizio da parte degli agenti stessi.

Questo Ministero, pertanto, fa vivissima preghiera a codesta On.le Commissione perchè voglia disporre una ulteriore assegnazione di divise, cappotti e calzature nel maggior numero che sarà possibile, onde possa trovarsi un sollievo immediato all'attuale situazione e sia reso possibile attendere che possa normalizzarsi la situazione dei rifornimenti di vestiario senza che abbiano a verificarsi seri incidenti.

Si gradirà in ogni caso un cortese sollecito cenno di riscontro.

pel Ministro



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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

11 October 1945

AG/14203/PS

SUBJECT : Uniforms for Prison Guards
TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice

1. This Sub-Commission is in receipt of several communications from Public Safety Officers in AMG territory which stress the urgent need for shoes and clothes for the prison guards of their areas.

2. In view of the fact that

- (a) prisons in AMG territory will undergo the most severe weather conditions throughout the coming winter.
- (b) fuel for heating purposes will be almost non-existent, and
- (c) the effect on morale of poorly clothed guards is a continuing cause of lessened efficiency, it is urgently requested that your Ministry use your best efforts to obtain uniform items for these guards in the shortest possible time.

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3. May this Sub-Commission be informed of your contemplated program and any action taken.


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

RME/G

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28 September 1945

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No prison in this Region will be furnished any fuel this winter. In many cases windows have been broken and there is no glass to replace them. If these guards are not properly prepared for what I understand is a pretty severe winter here, I'm afraid that they will give their job very little attention. In view of this will you be kind enough to approach the Minister of Grace and Justice in an effort to secure some materials that may be made into uniforms and shoes for these men.

Joseph J. Guarini

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TO	INIT	DATE
MANAGER		
DEPT. MANAGER		
ENCL. OFF	Mr	5-10
PHONE		
P.C. STAFF		
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CHIEF CLERK		

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

6 September 45

AO/14203/PS

SUBJECT : Overcoats

TO : HQ AMG Naples Commune

Ref. your PS/12.1 dated 28 Aug. 1945.

1. An agreement exists between this headquarters and the Ministry of Grace and Justice to allot one third of all uniform items received for prison guards to this Sub-Commission for specific distribution to penal establishments in the Northern AMG Regions. In this connection 108 overcoats, representing approximately one third of the 322 overcoats in storage at Naples, were assigned to this headquarters for such distribution as it sees fit. Subsequently 30 overcoats were allotted to Piemonte Region with the results as you know.
2. With the decrease in Regions under AMG control, it has now been decided to assign 50 of the 108 overcoats to Piemonte, and that headquarters has been so advised. They will present a copy of the letter from this Sub-Commission as their authority to collect these items.
3. The Ministry has evidently failed to notify your headquarters of the disposition of these uniform items. To prevent further confusion all future allotments of uniform items by this Headquarters will be covered by specific letter authority to the personnel calling for same.

For your information.

John W. Chapman
JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director.

RMP/G

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
NAPLES COMMUNE
APO 394

30 AGO. 1945 PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

Date 28 Aug. 45

Ref. PS 12.1

SUBJECT:

Overcoats.

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TO:

HQ Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub-Commission,
(Attention Capt. Freeman, Prisons Officer).

1. Referring to telephone communication
on 25th August 1945 respecting overcoats.

2. The attached copy of letter from
Dott. BONOMI, Director of Prisons for this Area,
is self explanatory, and in this connection,
instructions are awaited as to disposal of the
322 overcoats held here.

For the Commissioner:

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TO	INIT	DATE
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFFICER	7/17-3-9	
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LIC. & REG.		
PRISONS	2/11/3 5/9	
ADJ. OFFICER		
SECURITY		
CHIEF CLERK		

F.P. LUCKMAN
Major, A.C.,
S.C.A.P.O.

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TRANSLATION

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DIREZIONE DELLE CARCERI GIUDIZIARIE POGGIOREALE
NAPOLI

File N. 15400

Napoli, 27 August 45

SUBJECT: Overcoats.

TO ; HQ AMG Naples Commune.

I wish to inform you that the 108 overcoats, of which you asked information, never arrived from the Casa Penale of Rome and we never received instructions to hand over 30 overcoats withdrawing them from the a/m amount.

322 overcoats have been collected on the 7th May 1945, on behalf of the Ministry from the warehouse of this HQ. Said overcoats are still here at disposition of the Ministry.

IL DIRETTORE
(Dott. E. Bonomi).

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LOMBARDIA REGION
Regional Public Safety Office

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16 July 1945

PS/3.6

SUBJECT : Clothing Prison Guards
TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission
HQ. Allied Commission

1. Uniforms and boots are urgently needed for the prison guards of this Region. It would be appreciated, therefore, if the Ministry of Grace and Justice could be approached with a view to making a supply available, please.

For the Regional Commissioner:

J. P. Francis
C.T. FRANCIS
Lt Colonel
RPSC, LOMBARDIA REGION

GRD/wg

TO	INIT	DATE
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFFICER		
POLICE		
I.C. & G.D.		
PRISONS	<i>AMJ</i>	<i>22/6</i>
ADM. OFFICER		
SECURITY		
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TRANSLATION.

MINISTRY OF GRACE & JUSTICE

N. 17621.2-1

SUBJECT : Cession of Boots.

TO : A.C. P.S. S/C.

Following the telephonic communication made by Captain Freeman to this General Direction for the Prison Institutions, this Administration is thanking you for the cession of 1000 pairs of boots and it is requested kindly to indicate the place, where these items can be withdrawn and the amount to be paid.

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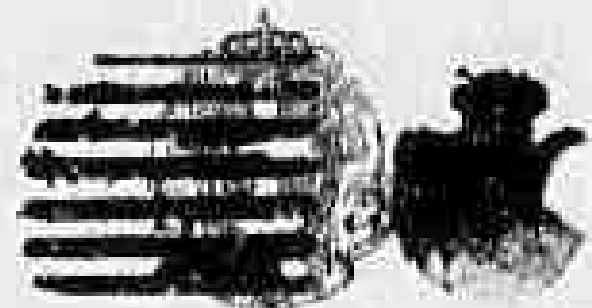
For the Minister
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Price
39- (3000 pairs)
Same procedure as before

File
13th June 1945.
Revised to (annexes)
ministry 21-6-45
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Roma, 13 GIU. 1945

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Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

DIREZIONE GENERALE
PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREVENZIONE E DI PENAAlla COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione di P.S.
ROMAUfficio V°
Aut. N° 17621.2 -1Riposta all' N°
del

OGGETTO: Cessione di calzature -

A seguito della comunicazione telefonica fatta dal Capitano Freeman a questa Direzione generale per gli Istituti di Prevenzione e di Pena, si ringrazia per la cessione a questa Amministrazione di 1000 paia di calzature e si prega di voler indicare il luogo, in cui tali effetti dovranno essere ritirati, e il prezzo da corrispondere.

per il MINISTRO

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission.
APO 394

Tel : 489001 - 365

13 June, 1945.

AE/14150/PS

SUBJECT : Boots for Prison Guards.
TO : H.E. Minister of Grace and Justice.

1. Arrangements have been made to supply 1000 pairs of boots to prison guards at the price of 300 lire per pair.
2. Will you please arrange collection of the boots in Naples at : I.C.E. Province Building, Naples quoting allotment notes 172/Bts-162 and 194/Bts-164.
3. The whole amount of lire 300,000 must be paid on the account
"I.C.E. - Materiale di Ricupero"
at No.4 Agency of Credito Italiano
Rome.

John W. Claffman
JOHN W. CLAFFMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

FJW/G.

1 Copy to Prisons file

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MINISTRY OF GRACE & JUSTICE

28 April 1945.

N. 41339/14

Subject : Clothing for prison guards.

To : A.C. P.S. S/C.

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With ref. to what has been requested by Capt. Freeman it is reported that instructions have been issued to the effect that the clothing items supplied by AMG for the prison guards be carefully disinfected before their distribution, because many of these items are still dirty with blood.

Furthermore, it is assured that the third part of these items is at the disposal of the Commission for distribution to the agents of prisons located north of Rome.

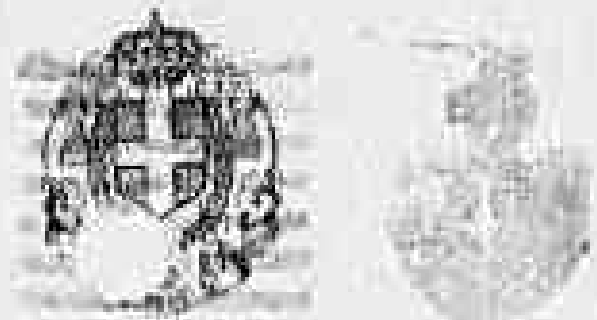
As soon as the disinfection will be completed, information will be furnished, so that if desired the clothing may be drawn.

For the Minister

rv.

TO		
DIRECTOR		
DEPUTY DIRECTOR		
EXEC. OFFICER		
POLICE		
INQ. & REG.		
PRISONS		
ADM. SER.		
SECURITY		
CHIEF		

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Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

DIREZIONE GENERALE
PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREVENZIONE E DI PENA

Ufficio 8° (Carceri)

Tel. 1-41339/14

Roma, 28 APR. 1945

Alla Commissione Alleata
Sottocommissione per la
F.S.

R O M A

Proposta di N.°

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MINUTA Vestitario per gli agenti di custodia.

In relazione a quanto è stato richiesto dal cap. Freeman, si comunica che sono state date disposizioni perchè gli oggetti di vestiario concessi dall'A.M.C. per gli agenti di custodia siano sottoposti ad accurata disinfezione prima della distribuzione, poichè molti di tali indumenti portano ancora, fra l'altro, tracce di sangue.

Si assicura, inoltre, che un terzo di tale vestiario viene tenuto a disposizione di codesta Commissione per la distribuzione agli agenti delle carceri situate a nord di Roma.

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Si fa riserva di comunicare quando
tale vestiario, ultimata la disinfezio-
ne, potrà essere prelevato.

pel Ministro

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 489081-365

4 May, 1945

AC/14150/PS

SUBJECT : Clothing for Prison Guards
TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice

1. Reference our letter of even number dated 12 March, 1945.
2. The 280 overcoats allotted to Prison Guards are now available. Will you please arrange for collection at Naples in the same manner as the other items received by you.

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

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AC/14203/PS ✓

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478709

23 April, 1945.

AC/14203/PS

SUBJECT : Supplies for Prisons.

TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice.

1. Attached hereto are two applications for controlled materials for use in civilian prisons. Said applications have come from HQ AMG, Umbria Marche Region and from HQ AMG, Toscana Region.
2. According to the directive from the Economic Section, Allied Commission, of 28 March 1945, AC/5300/Commerce such applications can no longer be sent directly to Commerce Sub-Commission AC, but must have the appropriate Ministry's approval, following which they will be forwarded to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour.
3. It is requested therefore that you evaluate these applications and forward them, if approved, to the proper Ministry.



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

PMF/C.

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HEADQUARTERS
TOSCANA REGION
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

File Ref: R-VIII/PS/9.4

Date: 17 April 1945

SUBJECT: Leather for soles of shoes

TO: Public Safety Sub-Commission, Hqs., A.C.
Att. Prison Officer, Capt. Freeman *oc.*

1. Attached are MAT 10 forms requesting 5 quintales of sole leather to make shoes for the prison guards of Toscana Region. Sufficient top leather is present to do this but no sole leather is available.

2. Major Drake, Industry and Commerce, Toscana Region, said that this request was to be sent directly to our Sub-Commission and with their approval to Industry and Commerce Sub-Commission.

3. It is hoped that this leather can be procured as most of the guards are in serious need of shoes and outfitting them would be a great boost to a lowering morale.

TO	
DIRECTOR	
DEPUTY DIRECTOR	
EXEC. OFFICER	
POLICE	
LIC. & REG.	
PRISONS	<i>Amf 23-4</i>
ADM. OFFICER	
SECURITY	
CHIEF CLERK	

Joseph J. Guarini
JOSEPH J. GUARINI, 1st Lt. CAC
Regional Prison Officer

Applications sent to Ministry
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MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE

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Rome 9-4-45
n: 14700.2/I

Reply to: A.C. 14601/8 PS. dated 29-3-45.
Subject: Phonogram by hand n: 179.
To.....: A.C. Public Safety subCommission.

We thank you for the kind interest towards this Administration to which have been assigned 10.000 covers for the dependent prison guards. Such articles will be withdrawn in Naples, at the place indicated in the a/m letter, by a charged person on the 11th instant.

DIRECTOR
DEPUTY DIRECTOR
EXEC. OFFICER
POINTE
SEC. & REG.
PRISON
AD.
SEC. GEN.
CHIEF

12/4/45
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for the Minister.
-Auriemma-

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Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

DIREZIONE GENERALE
PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREVENZIONE E DI PENA

Roma, 9 aprile 1945

Traslate

LA COMMISSIONE ALIBATA
Sottocommissione per P.S.

R O R A

Ufficio V.
Prot. N. 14700.2/1, Carceri

Registrazione N. 14601/8.PS
del 29.3.45

OGGETTO: Fonogramma a MATO N. 179-

Ringraziasi vivamente per gentile op-
portuno intercessimento favore questa Administra-
zione, cui sono state assegnate 10.000 coperte
per dipendente personale custodia. Tali affet-
ti saranno ritirati a Napoli, presso luogo in-
dicato, lettere se citata, da apposito incarica-
to, il giorno undici corrente.

per il MINISTRO

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
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AC/14703/PS

10 April 45

SUBJECT : Uniforms for Prison Guards.

TO : Regional Commissioner Southern Region
For S.C.A.P.O., Attn. Prison Officer.

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1. In connection with the above, subject of your communication of 7 April 45, Ref. PS/9.1 you are advised that some confusion exists as to the responsibility for the distribution of the uniform items in question.

2. Requests for uniforms for the Naples prison have been made as far back as a year ago, but the recent allotment of 1000 uniforms does not necessarily obligate the Ministry to distribute this number to Poggioreale. On the contrary, the agreement between Col. Bonomi, Major Hanbury, and the Ministry was that the 1000 uniforms would be placed at the disposition of the Ministry, with a proviso that 40 would specifically be delivered for use of the Municipal Guards under Bonomi.

In view of the fact that a majority of Italian prisons have made and are making requests for uniform items it is felt that the Ministry must assume responsibility for the most effective distribution of such supplies as are received.

3. This Sub-Commission will continue to bid for as much material as becomes available, to implement supplies already received.

R. M. Freeman, Capt

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

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
NAPLES COMMUNE
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PS/ 9.1

7 April 1945

SUBJECT: Uniforms for Prison Guards.

TO : HQ. Allied Commission,
Public Safety Sub-Commission,
(Attention D.P.S., for Prison Officer).

1. Some uniforms, ordered by Col. BONOMI, were taken to Rome from Naples by order of the Ministry of Grace and Justice.

2. Over 10 days ago, Major G. RICHARDSON, S.C.A.P.O., Naples, telephoned your Lt. Col. WILSON concerning the facts above and was promised to be helped in recovering at least a part of this much needed supply for Col. BONOMI.

3. As no further word or no uniforms have come and as the attached is a copy of a letter sent to writer from Col. BONOMI, dated 7 April 45, stressing the urgent need for this equipment, could you assist the Colonel in this matter?

4. The writer also spoke on the subject today to a functionary of the Ministry of Grace and Justice, who happened to be in Naples on a mission. The latter agreed to look into the matter upon his return to Rome and the writer asked Col. BONOMI to contact this functionary on his next week's trip to Rome.

For the Commissioner:

Fred C. Stiles, Capt., M.P.

G. RICHARDSON
Major, 396
S.C.A.P.O.

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COPIA.

ISPIRATO CARCERI REGIONE MERIDIONALE
(presso C.G. POGGIOREALE)
NAPOLI

N. 26270 di prot.

OGGETTO: divise per agenti

Addi 7 Aprile 1945

Onorevole
COMANDO MILITARE ALLEATO
Public Safety Division
NAPOLI

Con riferimento alla precedente mia lettera del 16 marzo pp.
ed a premura di codesto on. Comando prefiori di comunicare che
a tutt'oggi nessuna divisa - delle mille richieste - mi è stata
consegnata.

Conforme quanto ho piu volte comunicato in merito allo
stato deplorabile delle uniformi e degli abiti civili (in
mancanza delle divise) indossati dagli agenti attualmente,
soggiungendo che le guardie addette agli stabilimenti carcerari
di Procida e di S. Stefano - da me ispezionati ieri - si
trovano in condizioni peggiori.

Con osservanza.

L'ISPETTORE REGIONALE
(dott. Ermete Bonomi).

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

14203 7A
Tel : 189081 - 365

29 March 1945.

AC/14601/8/PS

SUBJECT : Blankets for Police Agencies.

TO : Minister of Grace and Justice.

1. 10,000 blankets have been allotted to Prison
Guards free of cost.

2. These blankets are now at :

Warehouse 676
Marini di Gigli
near Corso San Giovanni
Naples.

They should be collected as soon as possible, the
attached copy of this letter being produced at the time of
collection.

3. Please inform this office when the blankets have
been collected.

Handwritten signature: Howard P. M. H. L.
* JOHN W. CHAYMAN
Colonel, J.A.C.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APC 394.

AC/14150/PS.

Tel. 489081 - 365.

12th March, 1945.

SUBJECT : Clothing for Prison Guards.

TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice. ✓

1. The following items of clothing have been allotted to Prison Guards:-

Wool Blouses	1,000
Wool Trousers	1,458
Wool drawers	290
Socks	220
Pairs Gloves (Leather)	876
Overcoats	280
Field Jackets	620
Wool undershirts	220.

2. For release of these items attached are 2 copies of Issue Voucher No. U/57 of 3rd March, 1945, and 2 copies of Issue Voucher No. U/60 of 3rd March, 1945.

3. As payment of L. 1,176,000 is required before clothing is released the following procedure is necessary:-

- The total amount of the Issue Voucher is payable immediately to the Banca d'Italia, Naples, or to a local Bank for immediate transfer to the Banca d'Italia, Naples, to be credited to AFA No. 1 Account.
- The second copy of the Issue Voucher is to be retained by the Bank for transmission to AFA.
- After payment has been made to the Bank, Deposit receipt together with one copy of the Issue Vouchers No. U/57 and U/60 must be presented to ~~Commissary~~ Sub-Commission HQ AC, Southern Region Provincial Building, 2nd Floor, Room No. 46, Naples, in order that the Issue Voucher can be completed and authority given for release of the clothing.

4. May we be informed please when the items have been collected by you.

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

Copies to: All Regional Commissioners.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

Tel : 478709

18 February, 1945.

AC/14203/PS

SUBJECT : Clothing for Prison Guards.

TO : Minister of Grace & Justice.

1. Enclosed find a copy of letter received from the
Public Safety Officer of Terni Province.

2. This is a matter for your office to handle through
your Ministry of Industry Commerce & Agriculture.

W.H.G.

N.R.

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

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT

REGION No. IV

APO 394

PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

ROUTING SLIP

Date 14 FEB 45

TO.	FROM
Lt. Col. J.R. POLLOCK	
Major A.W. BATTERS BEY	
Major W.E. COLLINS	
Major P.E. COXHEAD	
Capt. T.W.M. GREENHILL	
Capt. D.J. HOPKINS	
Capt. L.A. TOMPKINS	
Capt. R.M. FREEMAN	XX
Capt. A.E. BAKER	
Capt. W.L. WISSON	
Capt. A.T. BROWN	
Capt. BACKMAN	
P.P.S.O.	
XX Maj Hanbury	
Chief Clerk	

ACTION

FOR YOUR
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NOTATION & RETURN
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REMARKS & RECOMMENDATION
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REMARKS

Attached communication received from
PS Officer, Terni, today.
Forwarded, with Italian translation
for any action you may wish to take.

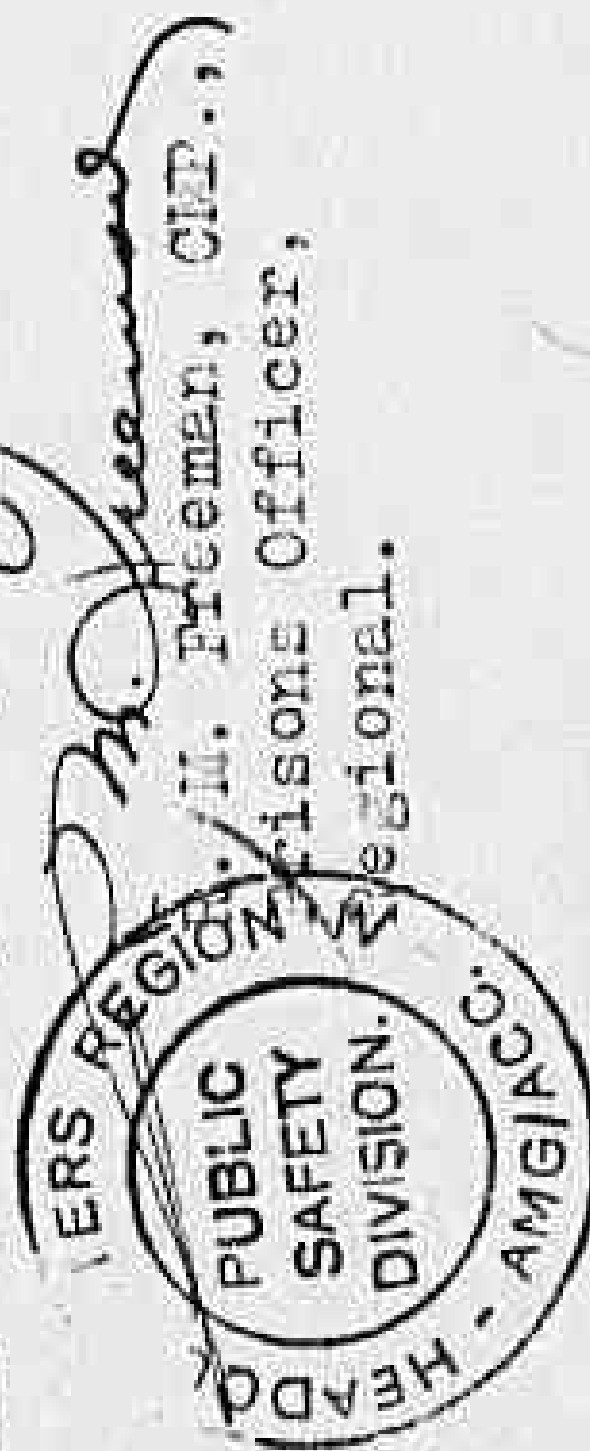
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TERMI PROVINCE
 UNITED COMMISSION
 LACIO-UMBRIA REGION
 AEO 394

14 FEB 1945

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EL/TER/MS/S/502

15 February 1945

SUBJECT: Clothing for Prison Guards.

TO : MG. MG. Lazio-Umbria Region
 Inspector of Prisons.

1. I have been approached by the Procurator del Regno of this Province regarding the bad state of the clothing of the prison guard.

2. Uniforms and boots are urgently required for at least 60 persons and I ask you to take an interest in the latter with a view to procuring same.

R. Goyer Lieut.
 R. GOYER
 P.S.O./Termini-Provence

TO	INIT	DATE
OL. CHAPMAN		
OL. YOUNG		
T. CO. WILCOX		
MR. LUCKMAN		
MR. WILSON		
MR. H. BULLY		
MR. B. L. L. L.		

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R. H. H. H.
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P.S.O./Terni-Province

TO	INIT	DATE
COL. CH. P. M. N.		
OL. YOUNG		
T. COL. W. D. K.		
MAJ. L. U. K. A. H.		
MAJ. WILSON		
MAJ. J. M. L. J. Y.		
MAJ. B. A. L. A. N. C. E.		
CAPT. D. W. E. L.		

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12 Febbraio 1945

PROVINCIA DI TERNI
COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Regione Lazio - Umbria
APO 394

RI/TER/ES/5/502

HQ. AMG. Lazio Umbria Region
Ispettore delle Prigioni

Oggetto: Indumenti per Guardie Carcerarie -

1. Il Procuratore del Regno di questa Provincia ha conferito con me circa le cattive condizioni del vestiario delle guardie carcerarie.
2. Uniformi e scarpe per almeno 60 persone si rendono necessarie di tutta urgenza, e Vi prego interessarvi per il relativo approvvigionamento.

R. HOMER Lieut.
P.S.O. Terni Province

*Copy
R.M. Freeman
Prison Officer*

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Ministry of Grace and Justice

14203.

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No. 40318/14 Prison

answer to 14203,

S. of the 29.1.1945

Subject: Clothing custody agents

11K 2-2-1945 as.

In reply to the note above indicated, we inform that following the request made by your Commission with note No. 1460 I of November 16, 1944, this Ministry has informed to your same Commission what is needed in shoes, socks, underwear, undergarments, covers, and shirts, for the custody agents of liberated Italy. This with Ministerial note No. 39609 of November 30, 1944. Your Commission with note N. 1460 I (and not 14203) in date of November 17, 1944, reaching here only the following December 1st, informed that these needs should be pointed out to the Ministry of Industry Work and Commerce and not to your Commission.

Consequently this Ministry with its note N. 396099 of last December 7th also sent to the Ministry of Industry the request already made to your Commission.

The Ministry of Industry has not sent to assigning anything of all the things your Commission had suggested to request from them, and with note N. 4422 of December 27th v.s. informed to dispose only of a limited quantity of linen for underwear, asking to be specified exactly the quantity of said linen necessary only to manufacture underwear for the agents.

This Ministry, in every correspondence with your Commission and with the before said Ministry of Industry, besides having pointed out the induments needed for agents, which have been expressly indicated by your Commission, did not fail to point out that the greatest need of the custody agents, besides the shoes is that of uniforms, and of overcoats, for which no invitation has been made to inform what is needed.

In any case the assignment of the induments of necessity would also have been indispensable, with the condition of things, it seems that they will be limited, by the Ministry of Industry, to a modest quantity.

of linen for drawers and ²shirts, which will not resolve in the least the serious and by this time unsustainable situation of the custody personnel in clothing matter.

We consider it suitable to send for your knowledge a copy of a letter n. 40318 of January 30th 1955 sent to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Work, and signed in person by H.E. the Minister, in consideration of the gravity of the situation above pointed out.

COL. CLARK		
COL. YOUNG		
LT. COL. W. G. A.		
MAJ. LUCK		
MAJ. WILSON		
MAJ. HENRY		
MAJ. BALLANCE		
CAPT. POWELL		
CHIEF CLERK		

B/m.

Ministry of Grace & Justice

N. 40318.14

30-1-1945

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answer to note N. 4422 of the 27-12-1944

Subject: Clothing for the custody agents.

With reference to the note above indicated, we inform that for the manufacture of the drawers and the shirts for the custody agents, for which what is needed has been pointed out with the previous note n. 39609 of December 7th u.s. 53 thousand meters of linen of about 70 cm. width is necessary. Consequently we wait for the assignment of this quantity of linen, which can be disposed in favour of the Rome penal establishment in the workshop of which this linen can be manufactured.

However, this Ministry is obliged to point out once again that the most serious need of the custody agents, is that of uniforms and shoes.

In fact, from the directions of the dependent prison establishments, information continually arrives of the deplorable condition of the custody agents' uniforms and shoes, and it is continually pointed out that the other Police Corps, such as the Carabinieri, the Finance Guards, the P.S. agents, and even the municipal agents have been supplied with clothing, while this has not been done yet for the custody agents.

This fact is the cause of discontent among the personnel who since several years endures such a different treatment and brings serious prejudice to the order and the discipline of the establishments.

Besides the regular carrying out of determined custody services is often prevented by the absence of agents who are in condition to fulfill them, not being supplied with the necessary induments.

In many establishments the agents give serious inconvenience to the civilian clothes, and this fact, among the other grave inconveniences, also endangers the security of the prisons for the greater facility in escaping, consequent to the difficulty of distinguishing the agents from the

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prisoners.

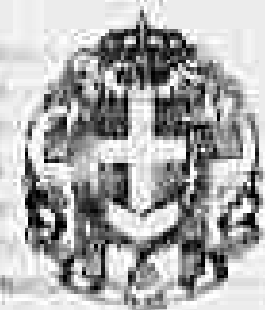
It is to be kept in mind as the agents are in want also of civilian clothes, and for their economical situation they are not in a condition to provide themselves easily with them at the actual prices, so that the case is frequent now of agents obliged to give service with civilian clothes worn out and absolutely indecent, with serious damage for the prestige of the public administration.

The above is valid also for the shoes, for which a request has been made to your ministry with a separate note.

In consideration of the before said we renew an earnest prayer to order in favour of the custody agents an assignment of cloth adaptable in any way for the manufacture of uniforms and of over coats.

TO	REF	DATE
COO. CH. OWEN		
DO. Y. L. L.		
LT. COO. Z. L. L.		
MAJ. LUT. L.		
MAJ. WILSON		
MAJ. H. L. L.		
MAJ. L. L. L.		
CAPT. R. W. L.		
MAJ. L. L. L.		

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Roma - 2 FEB 1945

Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

DIREZIONE GENERALE
PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREVENZIONE E DI PENAAlla Commissione Alleata
Sottocommissione di P.S.

R D M A

Ufficio 8°
Aut. N. 40318/14 CarceriRiposta al f. N. 14203/P.S.
del 29.1.1945

OGGETTO: Vestiario agenti di custodia.

In esito alla nota sopracitata, si comunica che in seguito alla richiesta di codesta Commissione fatta con nota N. 14601 del 16 novembre 1944, questo Ministero ha segnalato a codesta stessa Commissione il fabbisogno di scarpe, calzini, biancheria personale, maglie, coperte e camicie per gli agenti di custodia dell'Italia liberata. Ciò con ministeriale N. 39609 del 30 novembre 1944.

Codesta Commissione, con nota N. 14601 (e non 14203) in data 17 novembre 1944, qui giunta solo il 1° dicembre successivo, comunicò che tale fabbisogno doveva essere segnalato al Ministero dell'industria lavoro e commercio e non a codesta Commissione.

In conseguenza questo Ministero con suo foglio N. 39609 del 7 dicembre scorso ha inoltrato anche al Ministero dell'industria la richiesta già fatta a codesta Commissione.

Il Ministero dell'industria non ha provveduto ad assegnare nulla di tutto quanto codesta Commissione ha invitato a richiederli, e con nota N. 4422 del 27 dicembre u.s. ha fatto presente di disporre solamente di un limitato quantitativo di

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tela per biancheria, chiedendo gli fosse precisato il quantitativo di detta tela occorrente per confezionare la sola biancheria per gli agenti.

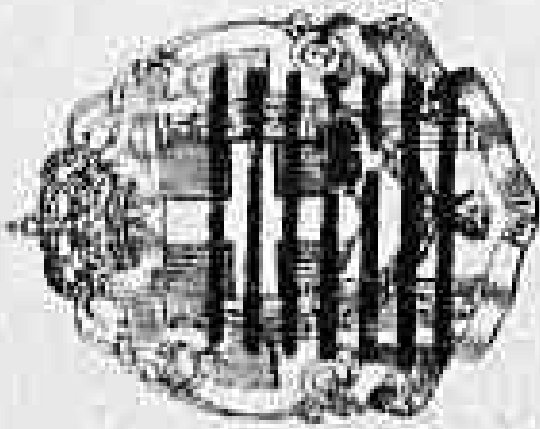
Questo Ministero, in ogni corrispondenza con codesta Commissione e col predetto Ministero dell'industria, oltre ad aver segnalato il fabbisogno degli indumenti per agenti che sono stati espressamente indicati da codesta Commissione, non ha mancato di far notare che il bisogno maggiore degli agenti di custodia, oltre le calzature, è quello delle uniformi e dei cappotti per i quali non è stato fatto alcun invito a segnalarne il fabbisogno.

In ogni caso l'assegnazione degli indumenti di minore necessità sarebbe stata anch'essa indispensabile, ~~ma~~ allo stato delle cose sembra che essa sarà limitata, da parte del ministero della industria, ad un modesto quantitativo di tela per mutande e camicie che non risolverà minimamente la grave ed ormai insostenibile situazione del personale di custodia in fatto di vestiario.

Si ritiene opportuno trasmettere, per conoscenza, copia di una lettera n.40318 del 30 gennaio u.s. diretta al Ministero dell'industria commercio e lavoro e firmata in persona da S.E. il Ministro in considerazione della gravità della situazione sopra segnalata.

pel M I N I S T R O

Luciani



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Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

DIREZIONE GENERALE PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREV. E DI PEN.

IL GUARDASIGILLI MINISTRO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA

Roma, 30. I. 1945

N. 40318.14

Risposta al f. R. 4422 del 27. 12. 1944

Al Ministero dell'Industria del Commercio e del Lavoro
Direzione Generale commercio interno

R O M A

O g g e t t o: vestiario per gli agenti di custodia-

In relazione alla nota sopracitata, si comunica che per la confezione delle mutande e delle camicie per gli agenti di custodia, di cui è stato segnalato il fabbisogno con la precedente nota n. 39609 del 7 dicembre u.s., occorrono 53 mila metri di tela dell'altezza di cm. 70, circa.

Si attende, pertanto, l'assegnazione di tale quantitativo di tela, che potrà essere disposta in favore della casa di reclusione di Roma nella sartoria della quale la tela stessa potrà essere trasformata in manufatti. Questo Ministero, però, è costretto a far rilevare, ancora una volta, che il bisogno più grave degli agenti di custodia, è quello delle uniformi e delle calzature.

Infatti dalle direzioni degli stabilimenti carcerari dipendenti giungono continuamente segnalazioni del deplorabile stato delle divise e delle calzature degli agenti di custodia, e viene continuamente fatto rilevare che gli altri Corpi di polizia, come i carabinieri, le guardie di finanza, gli agenti di P.S. e perfino gli agenti municipali sono stati riforniti del vestiario, mentre ciò non è ancora avvenuto per gli agenti di custodia.

Tale fatto è causa di malcontento fra il personale che da diversi anni subisce tale diverso trattamento e reca grave pregiudizio all'ordine e alla disciplina degli stabilimenti.

Inoltre il regolare svolgersi di determinati servizi di custodia è spesso impedito dalla mancanza di agenti che siano in grado di adempierli per essere forniti dei necessari indumenti.

Roma, 30.1.1945

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In molti stabilimenti gli agenti prestano servizio in abito civile, e tale fatto, fra gli altri gravi inconvenienti, compromette anche la sicurezza delle carceri stesse per la maggiore facilità delle evasioni conseguente dalla difficoltà di distinguere gli agenti dai detenuti.

E' da tener conto che gli agenti difettano pure di abiti civili, e per le loro condizioni economiche non sono in grado di provvedersene facilmente agli attuali prezzi, sicché è frequentissimo ormai il caso di agenti costretti a prestare servizio con abiti civili logori e assolutamente indecenti, con grave nocumento per il prestigio dell'amministrazione pubblica.

Quanto sopra vale anche per le calzature di cui è stata rivolta richiesta a codesto Ministero con nota separata.

In considerazione di quanto precede si rinnova vivissima preghiera perchè sia disposta a favore degli agenti di custodia una assegnazione di panno comunque idoneo alla confezione di uniformi e di cappotti.

Il Ministro
F:to Tupini

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APC 394

Tel : 489081 - 365

29 January, 1945.

AC/14203/PS

SUBJECT : Clothing & Equipment - Prison Guards.

TO : Ministry of Grace & Justice.

1. Reference is made to our letter of even number dated 17th November 1944, informing you of the procedure to be adopted in obtaining clothing etc for Prison Guards.
2. Numerous complaints have been received from Regional Public Safety Officers relevant to the deplorable state of Prison Guards, and how efforts by Prison Directors have failed to obtain clothing.
3. In this connexion may we be informed of the amounts of clothing indented for by you and the actual amounts received, from the Ministry of Industry, Labour and Commerce.

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

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R. 14203/PS

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

AC/14601/8/PS

SUBJECT : Equipment of Prison Guards.
TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice.

1. Arrangements have now been made for Commerce Sub-Commission of this Headquarters to supply boots and material for clothing to the Italian Ministry of Industry Labour and Commerce.

2. In future, therefore, your requests for these items in regard to Prison Guards should be forwarded to the Ministry of Industry Labour and Commerce, and not to this Headquarters.

sgd F.J. WILSON, Major
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

16 November, 1944

AC/14601/8/PS

SUBJECT : Clothing for Police Agencies.

TO : Commanding General GG.FF.
Director of Public Security-Ministry of Interior
Ministry of Grace & Justice
Ministry of Interior (Anti-Fire & P.A.Services)
Ministry of Agriculture (Guardia Forestale)

1. A recent arrangement has been made to make boots and clothing available to Public Safety Agencies through the Italian Ministry of Industry Labour and Commerce.

2. However a fresh source of bulk supplies has recently come to notice. Will you please reply as soon as possible your requirements of the following articles for the period of the next 3 months:-

Boots
Socks
Underclothing
Pullovers
Blankets
Shirts

3. It must be understood that this allotment from bulk supply is an abnormal measure and does not vary the accepted procedure as laid down in above para 1.

sgd F.J. WILSON, Major
f. JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS
ARMED SERVICES COMMISSION
INDUSTRY & COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
APO 254

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Ref: Form Int. 12, 13 MAY

Date 26 May 1944

Our Ref. No 1-44 MATTER DECE

SUBJECT : (a) ~~UNAVAILABLE~~ MATERIALS FOR CIVILIAN NEEDS
(b) UNAVAILABLE)

6A/7A refer

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission, HQ-ACC.

1. Your application(s) under above reference

is/are returned herewith as the material required is:

- (a) ~~UNAVAILABLE~~
- (b) unavailable in Italy;
- (c)

2. Remarks: This Sub-Commission anticipates the supplies will commence to become available towards the end of June, when action will be taken regarding your demand.

W. S. EVANS
Colonel,
Director, Industry &
Commerce Sub-Commission.

Encls:

Form Int. 12

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
Industry & Commerce Sub-Commission
APO 394

7A
Date : 13 May 1944.

1. DEMAND FOR CONTROLLED MATERIALS.
2. AHC/ACC FORMATION Public Safety Sub-Commission, A.C.C.
3. COMMODITY DEMANDED Boots - Service
(Give particulars of specification on back of form)
4. QUANTITY REQUIRED:

(a) Single lot demand	<u>6200</u>
(b) Next Month	<u>9200</u>
(c) Second Month	<u>9200</u>
(d) Third Month	<u>11200</u>
5. JUSTIFICATION : (Detail this information on back of form)
6. SOURCES OF SUPPLY (If known) Give Particulars:-
 - (a) Has material been located? No
 - (b) If locally - Where?

BREAK DOWN

	Immediate	1st Month	2nd	3rd
Agents of Public Security (Minister of the Interior)	4000	5000	5000	5000
Forest Guards (Minister of Agriculture)	700	200	200	200
Fire Service (Minister of the Interior)	500	3000	3000	4000
Prison Service (Minister of Justice)	<u>1000</u>	<u>1000</u>	<u>1000</u>	<u>2000</u>

These are the consolidated demands for the whole of Liberated Italy.

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 NEAR HEADQUARTERS
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
 Public Safety Sub-Commission
 APO 394

May 12, 1944

SUBJECT : Clothing for Prison Guards

TO : Industry & Commerce Sub-Commission

1. The Prison Service is administered by the Minister of the Interior.
2. The uniforms of the Prison Guards have become very worn and need replacing.
3. In the past uniforms have been supplied by contractors to the Ministry of the Interior. Stocks are exhausted and no supplies are forthcoming.
4. The strength of Prison Guards in liberated Italy is 3500.
5. When the country is occupied up to the Pisa-Rimini line it is estimated that the strength will be 5000 men. (see attached list)
6. The urgent requirements to clothe Prison Guards are uniforms (i.e. dyed battle dress and boots) for 1000 men.
7. It is requested that the immediate needs be supplied and that arrangements be made to provide for future requirements.

W. J. Young
 A. E. YOUNG, Colonel 394
 Deputy Chief, Public Safety
 Sub-Commission

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INDUSTRY & COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

Date: 13th May 1944

1. DEMAND FOR CONTROLLED MATERIALS, Public Safety Sub-Com.
2. AMG/ACC FORMATION Allied Control Commission.

3. COMMODITY DEMANDED Battle Dress - Dyed.
4. QUANTITY REQUIRED: (In metric tons or other suitable unit)

(a) Single lot demand:	6,200
(b) Next Month	9,200
(c) Second Month	9,200
(d) Third Month	11,200

5. JUSTIFICATION : (Detail this information on back of form)

6. SOURCES OF SUPPLY (If known) Give Particulars:-

- (a) Has Material been located?
- (b) If locally - where?

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BREAK DOWN

	Immediate	1st month	2nd	3rd
Agents of Public Security (Minister of the Interior)	4000	5000	5000	5000
Forest Guards (Minister of Agriculture)	700	200	200	200
Fire Service (Minister of the Interior)	500	3000	3000	4000
Prison Service (Minister of Justice)	1000	1000	1000	2000

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(c) Second Month
(d) Third Month

9,200
11,200

5. JUSTIFICATION : (Detail this information on back of form)
6. SOURCES OF SUPPLY (If known) Give Particulars:-
(a) Has Material been located?
(b) If locally - where?

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BREAK DOWN

	Immediate	1st month	2nd	3rd
Agents of Public Security (Minister of the Interior)	4000	5000	5000	5000
Forest Guards (Minister of Agriculture)	700	200	200	200
Fire Service (Minister of the Interior)	500	3000	3000	4000
Prison Service (Minister of Justice)	1000	1000	1000	2000

Italy.

These are the consolidated demands for the whole of Liberated

MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE
General Directory for Reformatory Institutions.
Office V.

Salerno 30 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Numerical list of prisons personnel employed in
Penal Establishments in Italy, south of the line
from PISA to PESARO (including islands).

1. Commandants	60
2. Chief-Guards (1st class).....	75
3. " " (2nd class).....	75
4. Ass't. Chief-Guards (1st class).....	162
5. " " " (2nd class).....	200
6. Guards (selected).....	1450
7. Guards	2800
8. Guards on trial.....	180
Total.	4982

Needed by each

a. overcoat.....	1
b. uniform (wool).....	1
c. shirts (white).....	2
d. socks (pairs).....	2
e. shoes (pairs).....	1

THE MINISTER.

Subject: Uniforms for prison guards
To: D. C. P. S.

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Capt. Young

1) The Ministry of Justice was contacted 9 May 44, with regard to immediate needs for uniforms for prison guards. A copy of the regulations was included, and can be made available if desired. However, under present circumstances the technical directions for design and material must be disregarded.

2) According to an estimate made by the Prison Directorate of the Ministry, dated 30 March 1944, there was needed, for the territory south of the line Pisa-Pesaro, a minimum

4A Clothing is sum of 4982 outfits, consisting of 1 coat, 1 jacket, 1 pair of trousers, 2 shirts, 2 pairs of socks, and one pair of shoes.

3) This estimate was made by the Ministry for the Council of Ministers, being designed for use in a 1930 conference held by the Council with the Chief Commissioners

4) A copy of the list is attached for information

Who
is
going
to
supply
the
uniforms?
Young

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MINISTERO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA

Direzione Generale per gli Istituti di Prevenzione e di Pena

Ufficio V°

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Salerno li 30 marzo 1944

OGGETTO: Elenco numerico del personale di custodia adibito agli stabilimenti
Carcerari nella parte d'Italia-Dalla Linea PISA-PESARO al MARE ed
alle ISOLE=

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- 1°)- Comandanti.....N° 00
- 2°)- Capiguardia di 1° classe....." 75
- 3°)- Capiguardia di 2° classe....." 75
- 4°)- Sottocapiguardia di 1° classe .." 162
- 5°)- sottocapiguardia di 2° classe.. " 200
- 6°)- Guardie scelte;" 1450
- 7°)- Guardie " 2800
- 8°)- Guardie in esperimento 180

142
in esperimento

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Totale N° 4982

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2930

Per ognuno occorre:

- a) cappotti N° 1
- b) divise di panno { giubba " 1
- c) camicie bianche { pantaloni " 2
- d) calze paila " 2
- e) scarpe paila " 1

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d) calze paila	" 2
e) scarpe paila	" 1

giubba
 pantaloni

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IL MINISTRO

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

File 3A
21 March 1944

ACC/14209/PS

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence *2A*

TO : RPSO, Region 5

1. Attached herewith is a copy, in translation of a letter received from the Italian Ministry of Justice, with request that certain shoes be made available for use by prison guards.

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

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MINISTERO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA

2A
Salerno 16 March 1944

Translation

The Directorate of the prisons at Lucera informs this Ministry that all agents on duty there have wornout shoes and have no possibility to repair or replace them.

Besides calling our attention to this matter the above mentioned directorate informs us that in the prison storeroom there are 20 pair of leather shoes for inmates and requests authorization that these shoes be given to those agents who are most in need of them, at the price of L 68 the inventory cost of them.

As Lucera is under the control of the Allied Government, we request that ACC direct their attention to the above request.

THE MINISTER

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MINISTERO DI GRAZIA E GIUSTIZIA
DIREZIONE GENERALE PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREV. E PENA
Ufficio V°

Protoc. N. 4015/PP

Risp. al foglio N.

Salerno li 16 marzo 1944.=

del

OGGETTO: Scarpe massa agenti.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO
Sottocommissione di P.S.

SALERNO

La Direzione delle carceri di Lucera si rivolge a questo Ministero perchè tutti gli agenti in servizio presso quelle carceri hanno le scarpe in pessime condizioni di uso e mancano della possibilità di ripararle o sostituirle.

Oltre a chiedere un'interessamento in merito la predetta direzione fa presente che nel magazzino del carcere trovansi giacente n° 20 paia scarpe di cuoio per detenuti e chiede l'autorizzazione anche le dette scarpe vengano cedute agli agenti più bisognosi al prezzo di lire 68 il paio, risultanti in carico nell'inventario.

Poichè Lucera trovasi sotto il controllo del Governo Alleato, pregasi codesta Onorevole Commissione di voler provvedere in merito alle richieste avanzate dalla suindicata direzione.

pel MINISTRO

di Vin.

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AMGOT/1031/18. 1A

AMGOT HQ. - SICILY.

1 Oct. 43.

Subject: Clothing - Prison Officials & Prisoners. - see separate file

To : Civil Supplies. 1B

The attached gives a complete detail and summary of material required to make clothing for Prison Officials and for Prisoners for Sicily. The supply is urgently required and can be collected at any time.

COLONEL.

AGREE NOW.

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1. Cloth & Texture for Agent's Uniform

Goods and Ornament Materials
Needed

Material Required for Prison Staff Uniform to make 1000 suits etc.

<u>Heavy Coats</u>		<u>Quantities</u>	
		For one uniform	For 1000 uniforms
Dark blue woolen cloth (width 1.40)		2.00	2000
Linnings, dark (1.30)		0.80	800
" light for sleeves (1.00)		0.65	650
Stiff coarse cloth (1.00)		1.00	1000
Vegetable Cloth (1.00)		0.25	250
Pads		1.00	1000
Sky blue woolen for flame emblem (1.10)		0.03	30
White metal round medium buttons		No. 4	No. 400
" " " small		4	400
" " " screw buttons for epaulet		2	2000
Black velvet for collar of the Chief Guards		Q 1.0	1. 3 for 30 pieces
<u>Trousers</u>			
Woolen dark blue (width 1.40)		1.30	1300
Lining, dark, for belts and pockets (0.90)		0.45	450
Blue Cloth for bands		0.05	50
Metal buttons for grenadier		5	5000
Bone Buttons or		6	6000
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Dark blue woolen cloth (width M. 1.40)	2.00	2000
Lining, dark (M. 0.90)	0.80	800
" light for sleeves (M. 0.90)	0.65	650
Stiff Coarse cloth (M. 0.75)	1.00	1000
Vegetable Cloth (M. 0.40)	0.25	250
Pads	1.00	1000
Sky blue woolen for flame emblem (M. 1.40)	0.05	50
White metal round medium buttons	No. 4	No. 1200
" " " small "	4	4000
" " " screw buttons for epaulet	2	2000
Black velvet for collar of the Chief Guards	Q 10	L. 3 for 30 pieces

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Trousers

Woolen dark blue (width M. 1.40)	L. 1.30	1300
Lining, dark, for belts and pockets (8.90)	0.45	450
Blue Cloth for bands	0.05	50
Metal buttons for grenadier	5	5000
Bone Buttons or	6	6000
Buckle for belts	1	1000

Quantities
for 1000
uniforms
Metric

For one
uniform
Metric

Woolen Cap

Dark blue woolen cloth (m. L.40)	0.17	1.70
Lining (0.90)	0.35	3.50
Visor	No. 1.00	No. 1000
Circular Oil-Cloth	" 1.00	" 1000
Underchain for caps	" 1.00	" 1000
Metal white round buttons, small	" 2.00	" 2000
Pads (1 for 10 caps)	" 1/10	" 100
Steel thread to keep the form rigid	M. 0.00	M. 800

Woolen Overcoats

Dark blue woolen cloth (width m. L.40)	2.50	2500
Woolen black lining (cushion) (m. L.40)	1.50	1500
Linings for sleeves (0.90)	0.70	700
Coarse Goods (0.75)	1.30	1300
Vegetable Cloth (0.40)	0.25	250
Metal white round buttons, large	No. 10	No. 10000
" " " " small	" 5	" 5000
" " " " screw small	" 2	" 2000
Blue cloth for border (L.40)	M. 0.02	M. 20
Pads	No. 1.00	1000

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Threads needed for the sewing

White thread for basting, spool of 500 m	No. 1000
Black thread for machine, spool 300 m	" 1500
Silk, black thread for button holes	" 2000

Steel thread to keep the form rigid M. 0.50 M. 300

Woolen Overcoats Meters

Dark blue woolen cloth (width m. 1.40) 2.50 2500

Woolen black lining (tustian) (m. 1.40) 1.50 1500

Linings for sleeves (0.90) 0.70 700

Coarse Goods (0.75) 1.30 1300

Vegetable Cloth (0.40) 0.25 250

Metal white round buttons, large No. 10 No. 10000

" " " small " 5 " 5000

" " " screw small " 2 " 2000

Blue cloth for border (1.40) M. 0.02 M. 20

Pads No. 1.00 1000

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Threads needed for the sewing

White thread for basting, spool of 500 m No. 1000

Black thread for machine, spool 500 m " 1500

Silk, black thread for button holes " 2000

Summer Outfits

Quantities

For 1 Piece Meter For 1000 pc. Meter for 2000 pc. Meter

Texture Coats

Grey, cotton cloth (width 0.80) 3.20 3200 6400

Lining (width 0.90) 0.25 250 500

Blue cloth for flane gablan (for every 5 coats) 0.50 10 20

Bone buttons medium No. 4 4000 8000

" " small " 6 6000 12000

	Quantities				
	For 1 Piece	For 1000 pc.	For 2000		
	No.	Meters	pc.	Meters	Meters
<u>Trousers</u>					
Cotton, grey cloth (0.80)	2.00	2800	5600		
Lining for pockets and belts	0.50	500	1000		
Buttons for granadier - metal	5	5000	10000		
Bone buttons for suspenders	6	6000	12000		
Buckle for belts	1	1000	2000		
<u>Undershirt for caps</u>					
Round oil cloth for internal	2000				
Steel thread to keep the caps rigid	2000	1000			
Metal, white round buttons, large	10000				
" " " " medium	4000				
" " " " small	13000				
" " screw for epaulets	4000				
Bone buttons for coats, medium	8000				
" " " " small	30000				
Metal buttons for granadier	15000				
White thread for bastings spool of m.	500				
Black thread for sewing machine, spool m. 300	1500				
Grey " " " "	1000				
Black Silk thread for button holes	"				
Buckles for belts	3000				
<u>Cotton Goods</u>					
Cotton Caps	1	1000	2000		
Cotton Grey Goods (0.80)	0.35	35			
Lining Cotton	0.35	35			

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SHIRTS

1000 Winter Outfits and 2000 Summer	No.	Linear Meter	Square Meter
Dark Blue woolen cloth (width 1.40)		5970	8358
Cotton Grey Cloth (" 0.90)		12350	9380
Blue Ribbon " (" 1.40)		120	168
Silk velvet for collars for Chief Guards (0.75)		3	2,250
Woolen frustian for lining overcoats (1.40)		1500	2100
Cotton lining, dark (0.90)		12500	1125
" " light (0.90)		1500	1350
" " for sleeves		1350	1215
Satin " for caps (0.70)		700	490
Coarse cloth, rigid (0.75)		2300	1625
Vegetable cloth (0.40)		500	200
Pedis	1500		
Visor for caps	2000		

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List of textile fabrics and thread for sewing needed for bed linen for Armed Agents.

	<u>QUANTITIES</u>	
	<u>For 1 piece</u>	<u>For 1000 pieces</u>
<u>For Agents.</u>		
<u>For machine covers.</u>		
Strong broadcloth - width M.O. 80	M. 4.20	4200
Spools of white thread for sewing machine	No. $1 \frac{1}{5}$	200
<u>Shirts.</u>		
Broadcloth width M.O. 80	M. 5	5000
Spools of white thread	No. $1 \frac{1}{5}$	200
<u>Pillow cases and covers.</u>		
Broadcloth - width M.O. 80	M. 0.90	900
Spools of white thread	No. $\frac{1}{10}$	100
<u>Towels.</u>		
Broadcloth - width M.O. 80	M. 0.75	750
Spools of white thread	No. $\frac{1}{50}$	35
<u>Summary.</u>		
Heavy or strong broadcloth width M.O. 80	M.	4200
Ordinary broadcloth width M.O. 80.	M.	6650
Spools of white thread for sewing machine	No.	535

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