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MARSHALL GRAZIANI
FEB. - AUG. 1946

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V.P. C.A.S.

Please see 20^A 20^B + 21^A. Attached letter for information of A.F.H.Q. for signature if approved per. The signal mentioned is at 19^A.

E.J. Ryan. Col.

8-8-46.

P.S. 5/6.

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V.P. C.A.S.

See 23 + 24^A. Letter to

A.F.H.Q. G.S. for signature per.

The C.C. has asked for a copy of the letter per.

E.J. Ryan. Col.

16-8-46.

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P.S. 5/6.

Letter has been dispatched.

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of approved per. the signal mentioned
to at 19A

8-8-46.

P.S. 5K.

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V.R.C.H.S.

See per 23 & 24H. Letter to

A.F.H.Q. G.S. for signature per.

The C.C. have asked for a copy
of the letter per.

16-8-46.

E.J. Dye. Col.

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P.S. 5K.

Letter has been
despatched

W.D.

14-8-46.

R. Hare. Gt.
C.H. Section

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
APO 794

25A

AC/1434/83

Tel: 473427

16 August 1946.

SUBJECT : Marshal Graziani Rudolf.

TO : AFM. G-5 Section.

1. With reference to this HQ Letter AC/1434/83 dated 9th August 46.
2. The Italian Authorities have asked this HQ whether, on account of the lack of accommodation at the French Nursing Home, there would be any objection to the Marshal's removal for treatment to the 'Hôpital d'Anvers' Hospital, Via Cagnoni n.28, Naples.
3. A reply has been sent to the Italian Authorities to the effect that, under the circumstances as indicated, there is no objection to the change.

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FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

M. Carr Byadue

L. Carr, Brigadier.
V. G. Section.

Copy to : Chief Commissioner.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

24A

AO/14344/PS

15 August 46.

SUBJECT : Marshal Graziani Rodolfo.
TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice.

23A

1. With reference to your letter 656/4.7 dated
14th August 1946.

2. As there is no accomodation at the Reusch Nursing
Home, this Hq has no objection to the removal of Marshal
Graziani to the 'Elena d'Aosta hospital' N°28 Via Cagnassi,
Naples, for treatment.

*Letter to be prepared
for AFHO showing
change of hospital.
EJB/5*

EJB 3620
E. J. BYE Colonel
Acting Director.

EJB/ac

MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE 23A

N.656/4.7.

14 August 46.

SUBJECT : Ex Marshal Graziani Rodolfo.

TO : Public Safety S/C A.C.

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With reference to your letter AC/14344/PS dated 7/8/46 this Ministry informs you that owing to lack of accommodation in the "Reusch Nursing Home" Naples, the Pubblico Ministero has designated for the recovery of Marshal Graziani the "Elena d'Aosta hospital" situated in Via Cagnassi 29 - Naples.

Before authorising Marshal Graziani's move to the s/m hospital, we inform you for further approval please.

For the Minister

/s/ Ariemma..

Translation ac/

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Mod. 1345 H.G.

Roma 14 agosto 1946

Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia
Direzione Generale
per gli Istituti di penitenza e di pena

Ufficio Segreteria

Del. N. 656/4.7.

A la Commissione
Alleata - Sottocommissio-
ne per la P. S.

ROMA

Riposta al f. del 7.8.1946

Dir. L. SAC/14344/

OGGETTO Ex Maresciallo GRAZIANI Rodolfo P.S.

SEGRETO

In relazione alla nota sopraindicata di
codesta On. Commissione Alleata, comunico che,
con fonogramma a mano odierno del Pubblico
Ministero presso la Corte di Assise Speciale
di Roma, è stato comunicato a questo Ministe-
ro che, non essendo possibile ricoverare l'ex
maresciallo d'Italia Graziani Rodolfo alla
clinica Ruesch di Napoli per deficienza di
posti, detto ufficio ha designato invece
l'ospedale civile per cronici "Elena d'Aosta",
sito in via Cagnassi 29 in Napoli.

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Prima di autorizzare il trasporto del
predetto Graziani Rodolfo da Procida alla
clinica di cui sopra, si informa codesta
On. Commissione Alleata con preghiera di
volar comunicare il suo benessere a questo
Ministero.

pel MINISTRO

Amici

SECRET.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION.
Civil Affairs Section.
APO 394

22A

Tel: 478427

AG/1434/PC

SUBJECT: Marshal Grasiani.
TO : AFHQ. G-5 Section.

9 August, 1946

19A

1. With reference to this Headquarters signal 3764 of 18th June addressed to GHQ A. Branch.

2. The Italian authorities have now asked whether this Headquarters has any objection to the removal of Marshal Grasiani from Procida to the Russosh Nursing Home, Naples for treatment. During his stay there he will be adequately guarded.

3. A reply has been sent to the effect that no objection will be raised providing the conditions of the handover of the Marshal from Allied to Italian custody are observed.

4. You will be notified of any future change in the position.

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

MCD
M. CAER, Brigadier.
VP. CA. Section.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 794

21A

AC/14344/PS

7 August 46.

SUBJECT : Marshal Graziani.
TO : Ministry of Grace and Justice
General Direction of Prisons.

1. With reference to your letter 640/4.7 dated
3rd August 1946.

2. This Headquarters has no objection to the
removal of Marshal Graziani from Procida to the Rensch
Nursing Home in Naples for treatment, providing the
conditions of the hand over of the Marshal from Allied
to Italian custody are observed.

3. Will you please notify this Headquarters of any
future change of location of Marshal Graziani.

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E.J. BYR Colonel
Acting Director.

EJP/ac

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ACFET HQ ALCOM.

18 June 1946.

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DISTANCE.

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SECRET.

SUBJECT IS RODOLFO GRAZIANI PD

PARA ONE PD REFERENCE YOUR FOX XRAY SIX SEVEN EIGHT TWO ZERO UNDATED PD

PARA TWO PD SUBJECT IS SUFFERING FROM ULCERATED STOMACH AND HAS NOT REPEAT

NOT BEEN TRANSFERRED TO REGINA CECILIA PRISON ROME AS PREVIOUSLY

ARRANGED PD HE IS STILL AT PROCIDA PD TRIAL DEFERRED PENDING RECOVERY PD

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PRIORITY.

PUBLIC SAFETY SUB-COMMISSION.

686.

E.J. BYE Colonel.

NICHOLAS FIGGINS
CWO USA
Asst. Adjt.

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INCOMING MESS

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

CIPHER

Originator's Reference: EX 67820

Message

Date/Time of Origin: JUNE

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Precedence

FROM: A BRANCH HQ CMF

TO: ALCOM

INFO: DISTHREE

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SUBJECT IS ??????? T GRAZIANI. IN VIEW YOUR SD266.01 OF 6 MAY PLEASE CONFIRM
SOONEST GRAZIANI STILL HELD FORTE BOCCIA.

AC DIST

ACTION: SECURITY

INFO: CHIEF COMR

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ACTION

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CIPHER TELEGRAM

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HEADQUARTERS

18 JUN 1946

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TRANSLATION

THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

Rome, 6 June 1946.

Dear Admiral,

with reference to your letter of 14 May 1946, I have at once informed the Ministry of Justice to keep in mind, in occasion of the process of Marshal Graziani, the conditions agreed upon with the Allied Commission and repeated in the above letter.

The Keeper of the Seal now confirms that the necessary instructions have been issued as desired.

Yours very truly

/s/ De Gasperi

Admiral Ellery W. Stone
Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
Rome.

EC Dist - H 3610

Action - EC

INFO - CC

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

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Ref. 700/44/20

4 June 1946

15A
My dear Mr. Prime Minister,

I would be grateful if you could let me have the confirmation requested in my letter No. 700/40/20 dated 14 May 46 regarding Marshal Graziani.

Yours very truly,

M. S. LUSH

Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Dr. Alcide De Gasperi
President of the Council of Ministers,
Italian Government,
Rome

Copy to: P.S.

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ADPS
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R/L 16A

Ref. : 708/42/30

14 May 1946.

My dear Mr. Prime Minister,

You will no doubt recall that on 9th February 1946, Brigadier Bush consulted you with regard to the handing over of Marshal Graziani from Allied to Italian Custody subject to the following conditions:-

- A. That Graziani be made available for interrogation and as witness if required at the forthcoming War Crimes trials, and
- B. If Graziani is tried and sentenced to death by the Italian Authorities, sentence will not be put into effect until the War Office requirements as in Para A are satisfied.

These conditions were agreed to and Marshal Graziani was handed to the Italian authorities at Naples Airport at 17.30 hours 10th Feb. 1946.

In view of the necessity for complete secrecy the negotiations were carried out verbally and no exchange of letters took place.

It is now understood that Marshal Graziani is about to take his trial in Rome and as there is the possibility that the death sentence may be imposed I would be grateful, my dear Mr. Prime Minister, if you would kindly confirm that the conditions of the hand over will be observed.

Yours very truly

[s/ Ellery V. Stone

copy to: C. Com.
P. Safety, S/CHENRY V. STONE
Rear Admiral, USN
Chief Commissioner

3610

Dr. Alcide De Gasperi
President of the Council of Ministers,
Italian Government,
ROME

MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE 20A

7 Aug. 46

SUBJECT : Graziani Rodolfo
ex Marshal of Italy.
TO : Public Safety S/C.

On the 3rd August 46, a letter was sent on the above subject, by hand.

As mentioned by phone call, Miss Evangelisti of your office, answered that the letter had not been received by them, attached herewith is copy of letter, hoping in an urgent reply. 20B

For the Minister

/s/ Auriemma.

Translation ac/

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MINISTRY OF GRACE AND JUSTICE
General Direction Prisons

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N.640/4.7

3 August 1946.

cc.

SUBJECT : Graziani Rodolfo - Ex Marshal of Italy - Prisoner.
TO : Chief Commissioner's Office
Allied Commission.

The President of the First Special Section of the Assise Court of Rome with ordinance dated 31 July 46, has authorised the recovery of the prisoner Rodolfo Graziani, ex Marshal of Italy, in any nursing home of Naples indicated by the Pubblico Ministero, and the Pubblico Ministero in a letter dated 1st August 1946, addressed to this Ministry, according to art. 107 'Prison Institute Regulations' in sending a copy of the a/m regulations for the recovery, have indicated the Clinica Reusch Naples.

Before authorising the execution of the a/m ordinance we beg you to express your opinion in the matter, according to agreements made.

For the minister

/s/ Auriemma.

361.

Translation ac/



Roma, 7 agosto 1946

Ministro di Grazia e Giustizia

DIREZIONE GENERALE
PER GLI ISTITUTI DI PREVENZIONE E DI PENA
IL CAPO DELLA SEGRETERIA

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione di P.S.

R O M A

OGGETTO: GRAZIANI Rodolfo = ex Maresciallo d'Italia-

Fin dal 3 agosto è stata rimessa una nota relativa all'oggetto, a mezzo di raccomandata a mano, come dagli atti di questo Ufficio.

Poichè ad un controllo telefonico, la signorina Evangelista, addetta a codesto Ufficio, ha riferito che la nota non è stata recapitata dall'Ufficio di accettazione di codesta A.C., ne rimetto copia, con preghiera di cortesi e urgenti comunicazioni.

pel MINISTRO

Alcide De Gasperi

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Cupio
Ministero di Grazia e Giustizia

Direzione Generale per gli Istituti di prevenzione e di pena

Ufficio Segreteria
Prot. N. 640/4.7.

S E C R E T O

ROMA, 3 agosto 1946

Alla Commissione Alleata
Ufficio del Commissario Capo

R O M A

O C C U P A T O : GRAZIANI Rodolfo = ex Maresciallo d'Italia =
detenuto.

Il Presidente della Prima Sezione Speciale della Corte di Assise di Roma con ordinanza 31 luglio u.s. ha autorizzato il ricovero dell'imputato detenuto Rodolfo Graziani, ex Maresciallo d'Italia, in una clinica di Napoli da designarsi dal Pubblico Ministero, ed il Pubblico Ministero, con nota 1³⁶¹³ agosto 1946 diretta a questo Ministero, ai sensi dell'art. 107 del Regolamento per gli Istituti di prevenzione e di pena, nel trasmettere copia del provvedimento suddetto di ricovero ha indicato la clinica Ruesch di Napoli.

Prima di autorizzare l'esecuzione di detta ordinanza pre-

Ufficio Segreteria
Prot. N. 540/4.7.

S E G R E T O

Roma, 3 agosto 1946

Alla Commissione Alleata
Ufficio del Commissario Capo

R O M A

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Pubblico Ministero, ed il Pubblico Ministero, con nota 18 ago-
sto 1946 diretta a questo Ministero, ai sensi dell'art. 107
del Regolamento per gli Istituti di prevenzione e di pena, nel
trasmettere copia del provvedimento suddetto di ricovero ha
indicato la clinica Ruesch di Napoli.

Prima di autorizzare l'esecuzione di detta ordinanza pre-
go codesta On. Commissione Alleata di esprimere il suo avvi-
so al riguardo, in base agli accordi intervenuti.

pel M I N I S T R O

Quirino

Ministry of Grace and Justice

Uff. VI
138958/65207

9 May 46.

SUBJECT : Conveyance of prisoner Rodolfo Graziani.
TO : Public Safety S/O A.C.

Following our letter of even number dated 6th inst.
and with reference to Lt.Col. Wilson's telephone con-
versation, attached herewith is a copy of the request for
the conveyance of the prisoner in subject from the penā
prison of Procida to the Judicial Prison of Regina Coeli
in Rome

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For the Minister
/s/ Volpe.

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Translation ac/

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Ministry of Grace and Justice

Uff. VI
138958/65207

9 May 46.

SUBJECT : Conveyance of prisoner Graziani Rodolfo.
TO : Commanding General CC.RR. - Rome.

The Public Prosecutor at the Special Local Section of the Corte d'Assise has asked this Ministry for the immediate conveyance of the prisoner in subject from the Penal Prison of Procida, as the date of the trial against him has been fixed for the 24th inst.

As it concerns an outstanding prisoner, please give the necessary instructions so that the transfer of Graziani from Procida to the Judicial Prisons of Regina Coeli - Rome, is effected with greatest precautions.

Acknowledgement would be appreciated.

For the Minister
/s/ Volpe.

Copy to - Public Prosecutor's office
at the Special Section Corte d'Assise.
(for info).

Translation ac/

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ACCTP HQ ALCON

7 MAY 1946

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SECRET

REPERCUSSION 1.00 FOR SIX FIVE SIX THREE FIVE OF TWO MAY PD
PARA ONE PD ARRANGEMENTS MADE WITH ITALIAN GOVERNMENT AND
PARADE ISSUED FOR MAJOR TIGHER TO INTERVIEW WARDEN
GRANTHAM AT PROCEEDING ORA ANY TIME OR DATE CONVENIENT PD
PARA TWO PD MAJOR TIGHER INFORMED AND PARADE FORWARDED TO
HIS PD

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PRIORITY

Public Safety S/O

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R. J. BYE, Colonel.

BRIGADIER J. B. BURNETT
CBO USA
Asst Adjutant.

SECRET

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.P.O. 394
PUBLIC SAFETY SUB COMMISSION
SECURITY DIVISION

REF : SD/266.01

6 May 1946

SUBJECT : Rodolfo GRAZIANI

TO : D.A.G., G.H.Q., C.M.F.

1. The Ministry of Interior has informed this HQ that the above named will shortly be transferred from PROVIDA to the ROME area, possible FORTE BOCCIA in readiness to stand trial before the Special Court of Assise on 24 May 1945.

for *W. J. Dye*
W. J. DYE,
Colonel,
A/Director Public Safety,
Sub Commission.

Copy to: - G-2 (CI) RAAC
Public Safety Sub Commission

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SECRET

Ministry of Grace and Justice
Direction General - Prisons.

138958/65207

Rome 6 May 1946.

RESERVED

SUBJECT : Conveyance of the prisoner Rodolfo Graziani.
TO : Public Safety S/C A.C.

For information your Commission is informed that the office of the Public Prosecutor at the Special Assise Court in Rome has asked this Ministry to dispose for the immediate conveyance of the prisoner Rodolfo Graziani from the penitentiary of Procida to Rome, possibly Forte Boccea, as the date for the above mentioned's trial before the Special Section of the Assise Court has been fixed for the 24th inst.

For the Minister
/s/ Volpe

Translation ac/

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ALPHEE HQ ALPHEE

7 MAY 1946

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SECRET

REFERENCE YOUR FOX SIX FIVE SIX THREE FOUR OF TWO MAY PM
 PARA ONE TO ARRANGEMENTS MADE WITH ITALIAN GOVERNMENT AND
 PASSAGE ISSUED FOR MAJOR FIDON TO INTERVIEW MARSHALL
 TRIANI AT ROME ON ANY TIME OR DATE CONVENIENT TO
 PARA TWO PM MAJOR FIDON INFORMED AND PASSAGE FORWARDED TO
 HIM PM

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PHICKNEY

Public Safety S/C

BRUCE S. HUFFMANN
 CWO USA
 Asst Adjutant.

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R. J. H. Colonel.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APO 394

9A

AC/14344/PS

4 May 1946.

SUBJECT : Marshall Graziani.
TO : Ministry Interior
Direction General of P.S.

1. In confirmation of a conversation Dr. Ferrari - Colonel Bye on 4/5/46.
2. Can you please arrange for Marshall Graziani at present in Italian custody to be interrogated by Major Fisher of the D.J.A.G. office, Naples in connection with the trial of German War Criminal.
3. Will you please reply as soon as possible the time, date and place where the interrogation can take place.


E.J. BYE Colonel
Acting Director.

3600

LJB/ao

INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: F 65634
 Date/Time of Origin: MAY 021658B

CIPHER

Message Centre No: H/2573
 Date Time Rec'd: MAY 030915
 Precedence: IMPORTANT

FROM: FREEDOM SIGNED SACRED
 TO: ALCOM ROME

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1. REQUEST ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE WITH ITALIAN GOVERNMENT FOR MAJOR FISHER DJAG OFFICE NAPLES TO INTERROGATE MARSHAL GRADIANI IN CONNECTION WITH THE TRIAL OF KESSEIRING.
2. ADVISE EARLIEST POSSIBLE TIME AND PLACE FOR INTERROGATION.

AC DIST

ACTION: PUBLIC SAFETY S/C

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

EXEC COMMISSIONER

C A SEC

LEGAL S/C

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SKELETON

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ACTION

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TRANSLATION D.S.

17 February 1946. ^{7A}

CC.RR. GENERAL COMMAND
Service and Situation Office.

To ALLIED COMMISSION
PUBLIC SAFETY S/C

No 183/7/R.P.

R O M E

SUBJECT : Ex Marshal Rodolfo Graziani.

On 16 inst. at 1730 hrs the ex Marshal Rodolfo GRAZIANI, coming from Algeria, landed at the Airport of Pomigliano d' Arco (Napoli) being accompanied by a British Officer.

The CC.RR. took him in custody and immediately disposed him to be sent to the Penal Institute of Procida. On the same day at 2100 hrs. Marshal GRAZIANI was consigned to the Director of aforesaid Prison, as the High Commissariate for the Sanctions against Fascism had issued warrant of arrest against him under charge of the crime mentioned in art. 5. D.L.L. No 159 dated 27 July 1944, in connection with art. 51 of the Military Penal Code of War, for having committed, after September 1943 and up to May 1945, in Rome and in the territory of Northern Italy, crimes against the integrity and defense of the State, co-operating with the Germans.

The General Commander
/s/ BRUNETTO BRUNETTI.

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P. Safety

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Q 2105
FEB 16 NPT

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FEB 171000
EMERGENCY PRIORITY

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ACTION A BRANCH GHQ, CME

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INFO: HQ ALCOM DISTHREE

SECRET.

YOUR F 60587 DATED 121634A AND FURTHER TO THIS HQ SIGNAL OF EVEN NUMBER
DATED 160915A.

PARTY LEFT ON AEROPLANE NUMBER 522 FLIGHT NUMBER 445 AT 1120 HOURS. ETA NAPLES
1700 HOURS.

TELEGRAM

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See by DRS

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ACTION: EX COMMISSIONER
INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER
PUBLIC SAFETY
FILE
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HEADQUARTERS
FEB 17 1946
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Q 2105

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CONFIDENTIAL

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ROUTINE

HQ BTNA ALGIERS
CMF

A BRANCH CHQ ARMYCHARGE ROME INFO: HQ ALGOM DISTHREE

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CONFIDENTIAL.

YOUR F 60587 DATED 121634A AND FURTHER TO THIS HQ SIGNAL OF EVEN NUMBER
DATED 141710A. FLIGHT NOW DELAYED PROBABLY FOR SOME HOURS. WILL SIGNAL
FIRM TIME WHEN KNOWN.

AC DIST

ACTN: RA COMM.
INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER
P. SAFETY
FILE

HEADQUARTERS
16 FEB 1946
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CONFIDENTIAL

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FEB 150330A

FEB 150900

IMMEDIATE

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ACTION A BRANCH CMT HQ ALCON DISTHREE

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SECRET.

YOUR F 60587 DATED 121634.

FLIGHT CANCELLED. ETD NOW SATURDAY 16 FEBRUARY 46.

HEADQUARTERS
15 FEB 46
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ACTION: KA COMMISSIONER

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

PUBLIC SAFETY S/C

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See 700/EC.

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13 February 46 1230 hrs

(1) KING (2) TROOPERS (3) DISTRESS

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ORAZIANI KUDOLFO PD

PAGE TWO PD ARRANGEMENTS MADE WITH IT LIES GOVERNMENT FOR

WAR REPORT TO WEST FLANK AND TAKE OVER GRAZIANI AND BATTAL. PP

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PUBLIC SAFETY S/C

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E. J. BYE, Colonel.

J.G. LEONE
CNC USA,
Asst. Adjutant.

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FEB 13 0915

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A BRANCH CNY

ACTION BY: AC PSF HQ ALCON

INFO: TROOPERS DISTRICT

FEB 13 1946

SECRET.

REFERENCE ALCON SIGNAL 1094 OF 11 FEBRUARY.

1. GRAZIANI WILL BE DESPATCHED BY AIR UNDER THE FOLLOWING ARRANGEMENTS. AIR PRIORITY ONE ESTABLISHED BY AIR BOARD GMR CNY ON FLIGHT ¹⁴⁵ ETD ALCON 15 FEBRUARY 0800 HOURS ETA POMIGLIANO AIRFIELD (NAPLES) 15 FEBRUARY 1400 HOURS (LOCAL TIMES).
2. PARTY WILL CONSIST OF GRAZIANI AND BATMAN ~~XXXX~~ ACCOMPANIED BY ESCORT OF BRITISH OFFICER OF FIELD RANK.
3. WILL ALCON ARRANGE WITH ITALIAN GOVERNMENT FOR ESCORT TO MEET PLANE AT POMIGLIANO AND TO TAKE OVER GRAZIANI AND BATMAN FROM BRITISH ESCORT. PARA 3 AND 5 OF YOUR ABOVE QUOTE SIGNAL REFERENCE.
4. ACKNOWLEDGE

CIPHER TELEGRAM

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AC DISTEX COMM.
ACTION: ~~SAFETY 8/0 (2)~~

INFO: CHIEF COMMISSIONER

~~EX COMMISSIONER~~

SKELTON

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SECRET(CSO) ^{HS} 13/2

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11 February 46 1800h

ACTED BY ALCON

6 BRANCH ONE

(1) DISTRESS (2) WMA (3) TROOPERS

1094

SUBJECT IS P.V. AA 251403 MARSHAL THABIANI, RUDOLFO PD

PARA ONE PD REFERENCE YOUR PX 60366 DATED 8TH FEBRUARY 46 PD

PARA TWO PD ITALIAN PRIME MINISTER CONSULTED PERSONALLY BY

ACTING CHIEF COMMISSIONER ALCON PD PRIME MINISTER AGREED TO

PARAS ONE AND BAKER PD

PARA THREE PD ULTIMATE DESTINATION PROVIDED PD ITALIAN GOVERNMENT

PREPARED TO ACCEPT CUSTODY OF SUBJECT FROM 8TH FOUR FEBRUARY

ONWARDS AT ANY AIRPORT OR SEAPORT ~~WHICH~~ DECIDED BY

ALLIED AUTHORITIES PD

PARA FOUR PD PRIME MINISTER FOUND IT NECESSARY TO GIVE INFORM

ATION OF PROTOCOLS TO THE WAR MINISTER COMA CHIEF OF THE CABINET

COMA AND COMMANDING GENERAL COMA WHO WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR

ENJOINT PD NEED TO AVOID PUBLICITY UNDERSTOOD BY THEM PD

PARA FIVE PD PLEASE NOTIFY THIS HQ DATE COMA TIME AND PLACE OF

PRIORITY

PUBLIC SAFETY 3/C

M.S. LUSH. BRIG.

J.S. LEONARD
Asst. Adjutant.

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ARRIVAL OF SUBJECT PD

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