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TO, VP., CA Section

Stencil regarding Royal Forest Guards, is sent for signature.

Robert M. Hays

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Sketch is complete of 5a. Signed for dispatch.

Ch. S.

17 Nov. 44.

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R. M. Hays

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Economic Section (for Capt. Thos. Namura)

Re 14 A+B+C. From the Public Safety
& Agriculture Point of view 5A will meet the
case. For any comments you may

wish to offer

Revised
Lt. Col.
Public Safety of Comm

6th Nov. 1944

Seen. No comments
Thankyou G. Maxwell

Revised
Capt. Thos. Namura
Econ. Section.

Civil Affairs Section

The direction 5A has been prepared
in consultation with Economic Section and
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Submitted for

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Revised
Director, Public Safety
Sub. Commission

7th Nov. 1944

To D.P.S. 4

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Revised version
Capt. Econ. Section.

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Sub. Committee

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T. D. P. S. 4

Please consider my amendments.

12th Nov 44

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To C.A. Section:

5A noted and approved
Thompson
D.P.D.

Observation
Lt. Col.
Public Supply of Comm.

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Public Safety Sub-Commission
APG 194

AO/14616/73

6 Dec 1944

SUBJECT : Royal Forest Guards.

TO : Regional Commissioner, Toscana Region, Allied Commission.
(Attn: R.P.S.O.).

1. Reference is made to your R VIII/14616/3.3 of 29 November, 1944.
2. Members of the Royal Forest Guard should be armed in the performance of their duties.
3. As regards the re-establishment of the Royal Finance Guards, your attention is called to Civil Affairs Memorandum AO/14616/73 of 15th November 1944.

(Signature)
JOHN E. GRAYSON
Colonel, J.A.A.S.
Director Public Safety
Sub-Commission

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Agriculture Sub-Commission

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
TOSCANA REGION

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FILE : R-VIII/PS/3.3

29 November 1944.

SUBJECT : Guardia Forestale.

TO : Public Safety Sub-Commission,
Headquarters, A.C., C.M.F..

1. The re - formation of the Guardia Forestale is under consideration in this Region.

2. Opinion is undecided as to whether they should be armed or not.

3. Can the policy please be stated in regard to this body.

A. W. Rowler

A. W. ROWLERSON
Lieut. Colonel, G. L.,
Regional Public Safety Officer.

AWR/ng	
COL. CHAPMAN	5/10
COL. YOUNG	
LT. COL. WILCOX	
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section
A.O. 34

13 November 1944

AC/14618/ES

SUBJECT: Royal Forest Guards.

TO: Regional Commissioner, Lazio, Abruzzi-Marche, Tuscany, Emilia, Liguria, Piemonte, Lombardia, and Venezia Regions. (Attn: R.F.S.G.).
S.O.A.C. 4th Fifth Army, S.O.A.C. 4th Eighth Army
(Attn: C.F.S.). (Attn: S.O.A.F.C.).

1. Instances have been reported of the Royal Forest Guards being disbanded in the early phase of Allied Military Government and of lack of footwear, clothing and proper rations for this body.

2. The importance of the duties performed by the Forest Guards is fully explained in memorandum AFR/405.0 dated 23th October 1944. Care will therefore be taken to ensure that the existing organization is maintained and given every assistance in carrying out its functions efficiently.

3. In particular, the following points are brought to your attention:-

Evacuation.

The normal practice as laid down in the Executive Memorandum 67 following by Evacuation under D.L.I. 139 dated 27 July 1944. (When implemented in any province) will be observed. Wholesale removals are to be deprecated and render the important work of these guards ineffective.

Ration.

The scale of rations for Forest Guards is **1920** in
Memorandum AOC/43-1/FOOD dated 18th October 1944.

Uniforms.

Requests for boots, clothing etc should be addressed through Forest Guard channels to the Italian Ministry of Industry Labour and Commerce.

Transport.

Any possible assistance in supplying transport to Legions and Groups for supervising the services should be rendered.

By Command of Commodore STONE.

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Regions. (Attn: R.F.S.O.).
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Expenditure.

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By Command of Co. Modolo SIME:

TRP 1/10/44
M. G.R. VILLORE DRIE
VF CA Sec.
DOOS. AG

Copy to: Regional Commissioner,

Sicilia, Southern, Sardinia Region.
(Attn: R.P.S.O.).

Agriculture Sub-Commission
Economic Section
Public Safety Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Civil Affairs Section

PC 394

6 November, 1944.

AC/14616/PS

SUBJECT : Royal Forest Guards.

TO : Regional Commissioners :
Lazio, Abruzzi-Marche, Toscana, Emilia,
Liguria, Piemonte, Lombardia, Venezia Regions
S.C.A.C.'s Fifth and Eighth Armies
DCUAG, All.

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set out in memorandum AC/42-1/FOOD dated 18th Oct. 44.

Uniforms

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Is there an existing directive on this?

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APV/S.

G. R. UPJOHN, Brig.
V.P., C.A. Section

Deputy Chief of Staff.

Copy to Regional Commissioners

Sicilia, Southern, Sardinia Regions

Agriculture Sub-Commission, Economic Section,
Public Safety c/o

Is there any on existing directive in this?

None in existence

TRANSLATION

Rome, 16 October 1944

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTS
 DIRECTION OF FORESTRY SERVICES
 Prot. No 3393 - 1 Inclosure

To : Allied Control
 Commission -
 Agriculture Sub-Comm.
 Forestry Division
 Major Fuller - ROME

Subject : Reorganization of Forest Service in areas still
 subject to the Allied Military Government.

The Director of the Forest Service of this Ministry has submitted the attached report to me concerning the above matter, outlining the difficulties observed during his trip through territory controlled by the Allies and suggesting means for a prompt reorganization of said Forest Service.

Since present difficulties have an important effect on the production of vegetable fuels and in view of the fact that this problem causes serious concern insofar as the position of large cities during the coming winter is concerned, I hereby request your Commission to examine the attached report carefully and to do everything possible in order that the production of fuelwood and charcoal may be stimulated at the earliest possible moment.

The Minister

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ROYAL FOREST CORPS
Office of the Director of the Forest Corps.

N° 3392 - Pos.

Rome, Oct. 15, 1944

To : His Excellency the Minister

Subject : Reorganization of the Forest Service in areas still subject to the Allied Military Government.

In agreement with the Allied Commission I toured several provinces in Central Italy together with Major Fuller during the period from the 5th to the 12th inst.; these provinces are still under the control of the Allied Military Government and the purpose of the trip was to establish contact with the forest personnel and with Allied authorities in order to acquaint myself with conditions in the forest service and adopt measures designed to reorganize the same.

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Information obtained locally disclosed the following difficulties:

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- 4.) Insufficiency of the food ration for forest workers engaged in very heavy work.

- 5.) A shortage of feed for animals engaged in the transportation of forest products.

- 6.) Lack of weapons for the personnel of the Forest Service in some provinces.

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7.) A lack of means of transportation to be used by Legion and Group Commands for the coordination of the various services.

8.) Establishment of prices for charcoal and fuelwood out of proportion with costs of production and a discrepancy of these prices between provinces.

It is my duty to point out to Your Excellency that the difficulties reported cause an insufficiency and complete lack of surveillance, wherefore in many Communes stocks of coal and fuelwood have remained at the mercy of the population; cutting is done in an irrational manner, grazing is disorderly and undisciplined; poaching is practiced extensively; and there is a stoppage in the granting of (permits for) private cutting of timber and in estimates of communal woods, with a consequent slowing down of production of vegetable fuels.

At this time when production is below consumption, while in the more important cities transportation is being organized and the liberation of other large cities is anticipated, which will increase even further the consumption of these fuels, a solution of the problem of production during the coming winter appears to be most urgent and of extreme importance.

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In view of the foregoing the writer believes that insofar as defascistization is concerned, a single policy should be followed, both in regard to territory already returned to the Italian Government and to that still controlled by the Allied Troops, which is in accordance with the order of Brig. Gen. Maurice Stanley Lush, published in the ordinary supplement to Official Gazette No. 41 of July 29, 1944.

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In order to stimulate the production of fuels, the following will be necessary - always with reference to controlled territory:

- a. Recall into service all forest personnel which was not suspended by the Italian Government or for military security reasons.
- b. Forest guards should be equipped with shoes and clothing; there is need for 500 pairs of shoes and as many uniforms, even if used.

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c. There is need for at least 12,000 pairs of shoes (even if repaired) for forest workers.

d. It will be necessary to fix a food ration for forest workers in the amount indicated below and for the number (of workers) which will be indicated by the Group Commands. By way of approximation, about 12,000 forest workers may be figured.

Ration: 600 grams of bread per day; 3,200 grams of "minestra" ingredients per month; 100 grams of cheese per day; 1,000 grams of fish or meat per month; 400 grams of fats per month; potatoes and legumes according to the Serral availabilities.

e. It will be necessary to make allotments of feed for animals engaged in the transportation of forest products, in an amount of at least 50 kilos of oats per month, and of as much hay as many be required by the provincial forest Commands.

f. Furnish weapons to forest personnel in accordance with the requirements to be submitted by the Group Commands.

g. Furnish Legion and Group Commands with cars or authorize the requisition thereof; and furnish some subordinate Commands with bicycles.

h. Call a meeting at the Florence Legion Command, of their Excellencies the Prefects of the provinces comprising the territory of the Legion, with the attendance of the representatives of Serral, of the Consiglieri Agrari and of the Forest Group Commands, for the purpose of adopting a uniform policy in fixing remunerative ¹⁹³⁵ ~~1934~~ so that unwarranted differences between provinces may be avoided; organize a system of transportation and fix maximum production figures for fuels, removing any obstacles which might be raised by bodies or private parties to impede the cutting of timber.

The Director of Forestry Services

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"OFFICIAL GAZETTE" No 41 of 29 July 1944ORDER OF THE ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT.

I, Brigadier General Maurice Stanley Lush, C.B.E., M.C., Executive Commissioner, hereby order that all decrees and other provisions contained in the Official Gazette No 41 of July 29, 1944 shall become applicable and shall have the full force and effect of law in each Province of the territory controlled by the Allied Military Government on and after the date on which the Prefect of such Province shall receive a copy of the above-mentioned number of the Gazette Officielle from the Allied Control Commission.

July 29, 1944

signed: M.S. LUSH
Brigadier General
Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
AGRICULTURE SUB-COMMISSION
APO 394

FSF/ht

Tel. 262
ACR/403.6

25 October 1944

SUBJECT: Production of Fuelwood and Charcoal

TO : All Regional Commissioners and S.C.A.O.'s 5th and 8th Army, for
Agricultural Officers, P.C.'s, Supply Officers and Police Officers

1. The current production of fuelwood and charcoal is far below the requirements of the civilian population and is cause for grave concern. Unless steps are immediately taken to increase this production, a serious situation will occur this winter.

2. The production of these fuels is the responsibility of the Royal Forest Corps and you should do everything within your power to assist them in increasing production.

3. Enclosed is a letter, No. 2567 Pos. I/3, 10 October 1944, prepared by the Acting Head of the Royal Forest Corps, Lt. Col. G. Gangemi, which is being sent by him to the Legion, Group and State Forests Commands in all provinces, both those controlled by the Italian Government and those controlled by the Allied Military Government. This letter clearly outlines the responsibilities of the Corps and the necessary steps for them to take to secure the maximum production obtainable at the present time, in spite of the well known difficulties.

4. Sufficient copies are enclosed for all Provincial Agricultural, Supply and Police Officers. This letter is for their information and guidance, in order that they may give all possible assistance to members of the Corps in the removal of any unnecessary obstacles that arise which will prevent them from performing their duties.

For the Acting Chief Commissioner.

Enclosures:

Copies of letter from the
Royal Forest Corps for:

Distribution to:

Regional Commissioners:

Agricultural Officers, Supply Officers
and Police Officers, Southern Region,
Sicily, Sardegna, Abruzzi-Marche, Lazio,
Umbria, Toscana, Emilia, Liguria, Piemonte,
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S.C.A.O.'s 5th and 8th Army

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Lt. Col. Andrews, Agricultural Officer,
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Food Sub-Commission

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Ministry of Agriculture, attention of
Lt. Col. G. Gangemi

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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTS
DIRECTION OF FOREST SERVICES
R O M E

No. 2567, Pos. 1/3

Rome, 10 October 1944

To: Forest Legion Headquarters
Forest Group Headquarters
State Forest Administrations

SUBJECT: Production of Vegetable Fuels

From figures which we were able to arrive at only now due to delays in the transmission of mails and to the rather recent creation of the Office of the Director of the Forest Service, it has been found that consumption of Vegetable fuels is at present in excess of production and is depleting stocks on hand, wherefore there is grave danger that next winter the population will be unable to meet its minimum requirements.

In order that production may be maximized, you are hereby requested to do everything possible to solve this pressing and important problem, bearing in mind that responsibility for failure of production to materialize rests with the Royal Forest Corps, which is directly engaged in the fulfilment of this task.

Your attention is called specifically to the necessity of:

1. Looking into the possibility of utilizing forests of Communes, other bodies and private parties in order to meet not only the needs of the province - if possible - but also to make available for export the largest possible amounts.
2. Stepping up production of the State Forests Administration by adding to current projects and submitting immediately plans to the Head Office of the Forest Service for new sales.
3. Instituting auction sales or competitive bidding rather than resorting to requisition.
4. Extending to State Forests the system of auction sales in preference to projects conducted directly by the Corps. 12
5. Speeding up the rescission of contracts involving projects conducted directly, and, where such rescission was carried out, insure the continuance of production or the resumption thereof.
6. Securing immediately for each Legion and Group Command, by means of requisition, a car and, if necessary, a motorcycle for necessary surveys and for the delivery of urgent correspondence.
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8. Requisitioning Communal forests in the event of refusal on the part of (public) bodies to utilize their forests immediately despite pressure by the Prefect.
9. Requisitioning privately-owned forests in the event that notices to cut remain unanswered.

10. Reporting to the Office of the Director of the Forest Service by the quickest possible means any opposition to production, from either Communes or private owners, specifying the body or private owner, the name of the forest, the Commune in which same is located, the extent of the project, etc., so that the Office of the Director of the Forest Service may bring pressure to bear in the right direction.

It seems more or less unnecessary to reiterate that the responsibility which in a general way is attributed to the Royal Forest Corps, actually rests upon the various Legion and Group Commanders.

It seems likewise unnecessary to confirm that this Office is fully acquainted with all existing difficulties, but the writer is, on the other hand, convinced that with the firm support of everybody concerned an improvement in the above situation can be achieved.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394

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11 March, 1944

ACC/14616/PS

SUBJECT: Italian Forest Police

TO : A.F.H.Q. Military Government Section

1. Reference your letter of 29 February 1944 (ref ACC/014.12-1) the following information is furnished.

- a. FORESTRY-MILITIA (MILIZIA FORESTALE) in peace-time is made up of (1) 1 Superior Headquarters, (2) 9 Headquarters of Territorial Legions, (3) 3 Headquarters of independent Cohorts, (4) 1 Academy of Forestry Militia, and (5) 1 School for Non-Commissioned and Enlisted Students. Its strength - in peace time - is approximately 400 officers and 4,600 men. A number of the officers are graduates of agricultural or engineering schools and colleges.
- b. The principal duties of the Forestry Militia are guarding and protecting forests against fire and disease, acting as fish and game wardens, planning forestation activities and reforestation.
- c. For technical employment and administration the Forestry Militia is responsible to the Ministry of Agriculture and Forests. For discipline it is responsible to the General Headquarters of the Fascist Militia. It cooperates with the Military Police and Civil Police. It is not a military organization.

See 3a

PCW for

The Rt. Hon. The Viscount Stansgate,
Vice President, Administrative Section,
Allied Central Commission.

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Chief Commissioner	
Deputy Chief Commissioner	
Secretary General	
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Economic Section	
Pop. Control & M.G. Section	
Political Section	
Interior Sub-Commission	
Public Safety Sub-Commission	
Public Health Sub-Commission	
Property Control Sub-Comm.	
Legal Sub-Commission	
Education Sub-Commission	
Monuments, Fine Arts & Archives	
NAVY Sub-Commission	
Land Force Sub-Commission	
Air Force Sub-Commission	
Telecommunication & Posts	
War Material Disposal Sub-Comm.	
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Remarks/Recommendation _____

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 3. Hydrogen is hydrogen
 4. Hydrogen is hydrogen

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Military Government Section

Admin Section

MGS: 014.12-1

TBJ/dlc
29 February 1944

SUBJECT: Italian Forest Police

TO : HQ., A.C.C.



1. Request has been received here for information as to status of Italian Forest Police from the following points of view:

- a) Organization
- b) Duties
- c) Status - are they a military organization or not?

2. Request that a short report be submitted soonest to this section, please, in order that this enquiry may be dealt with.

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