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LIGURIA REGION - CORRESPONDENCE

AUG. - OCT. 1945

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LIGURIA REGION
APO 394

17 October 1945

Reference : LSC/216
Subject : Complaints Regarding Working Conditions of
Civilian Labor
To : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
Labor Sub-Commission.

1. My Report of 25 September was a Report with the hope that a policy on the Subject would be forwarded from the Labor Sub-Commission. It was not expected that it should become a subject for research.

2. The question of Fines is most important, and your approving them in Para (a) of your letter (Ref LSC/816) would appear to be an amendment to, or a violation of Para 37, P.20 "Regulation for the Employment of Civilian Labor" AFHQ 1945. If it is the intention of the Sub-Commission to continue this policy, will you please give me an order and I will clear through AFHQ.

3. It is the "Evidence" establishing the policy that I am objecting to. We have no such a policy in either America or England. AFHQ outlines a policy in the document mentioned above. If my Sub-Commission finds it "workable" I would like an order insisting upon the regulations of AFHQ, being obeyed. If we cannot follow AFHQ will you give me another order. This office cannot become a party to a "system of fines" that are contrary to an AFHQ Regulation.

4. I sent you a copy of the original list of names who had been fined, together with the amounts. None of these men had been guilty of pilfering.

2. The question of fines is moot. I would approve them in Para (a) of your letter (Ref LSC/816) would appear to be an amendment to, or a violation of Para 37, P.20 "Regulation for the Employment of Civilian Labor" AFHQ 1945. If it is the intention of the Sub-Commission to continue this policy, will you please give me an order and I will clear through AFHQ.

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4. I sent you a copy of the original list of names who had been fined, together with the amounts. None of these men had been guilty of pilfering.

5. The only problem is fines. The CIU Units admit it. The case is clear. The CIU has "a policy", AFHQ calls for a procedure that is different. We need it cleared at the earliest date.

For the Regional Commissioner

Thomas R. Fisher

THOMAS R. FISHER
Major,
Regional Labor Officer

LABOUR SUB COMMISSION
A. C.
Routing Slip

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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TEL. : 439081-493

REF. : LSC/816

9 October 1945

SUBJECT : Complaints regarding working conditions of civilian labour.

TO : The Regional Commissioner : Liguria.
(For the attention of the Regional Labour Officer).

1. Consideration has been given to your report of the 25th Sept. and comment on the various issues raised is made as follows:-

(a) Fines.

It cannot be assumed that a system of fines for disciplinary reasons would not be approved, indeed there is direct evidence to the contrary. The procedure adopted may however leave something to be desired and we should be glad if you will supply details of cases where workmen have been fined for reasons other than pilfering and any other information which you may have concerning the practice.

(b) Meals.

Will you please say whether the workers are complaining about mess facilities or the food supplied and in what respect either or both are alleged to be unsatisfactory.

If it is that they are not satisfied with the food we should be glad to know whether meals supplied are in accordance with approved scales.

(c) Supervision by S/Lt Crowe.

The workers complain of offensive treatment by S/Lt Crowe. It would be helpful if we could have further information for as the reports stand the only evidence of anything offensive concerns the conduct of certain of the workers which, on occasion, seems to have been grossly so.

(d) Search of workers.

In your report you infer that the method of searching workers has been improper. The workers on the other hand seem to be taking exception only to the fact that the search is made by a coloured soldier. Will you please say precisely what it is they are complaining about.

2. In paragraph 4 of your report mention is made of arbitrary treatment other than that of inflicting fines. You will appreciate that

no action can be taken on a statement of such a general character and we should be glad of any further information you have on this point.

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D.G. SACHS
Deputy Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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APO 234
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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TEL : Ext. 204

6 October 1945

REF : LSC/816

SUBJECT: On. F. Curti, Regional Labor Director, Liguria.

TO : Ministry of Labor and Social Welfare
Italian Government
Rome

1. Reference is made to a discussion yesterday between Comm. Simeone and Miss Sanseverino of this office, regarding the appointment of Dott. O. Salmeri in place of On. F. Curti as Regional Labor Director, Liguria.

2. The Regional Commissioner, Liguria, was not satisfied with the services of On. Curti, and it is understood that similar dissatisfaction was expressed by the Regional Commissioner, Regional Labor Officer and Regional Legal Officer of Perugia in Umbria when On. Curti was Labor Director for Perugia.

3. It is suggested that a too active participation in party politics and the furtherance of personal business interests are likely to prejudice the successful functioning of a Regional Labor Office.

F. E. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

Oggetto: On. F. Curti, Direttore Regionale del Lavoro, Liguria.

Al : Ministero del Lavoro e della Previdenza Sociale

1. Si allude ad una conversazione avuta ieri tra il comm. Simeone e la sign. Sanseverino, di questo Ufficio, circa la nomina del Dott. O. Salmeri al posto dell'on. F. Curti come Direttore Regionale del Lavoro per la Liguria.

2. Il Commissario Regionale per la Liguria non e' soddisfatto dell'opera dell'on. Curti, e si apprende che un simile malcontento e' stato espresso dal commissario Regionale, dall'ufficiale Regionale del Lavoro e dall'ufficiale Regionale legale di Perugia in Umbria, quando l'on. Curti era Direttore del Lavoro per Perugia.

3. Si crede che una partecipazione troppo attiva alla politica di partito e l'avanzamento di interessi personali negli affari pregiudicherebbero il buon funzionamento dell'Ufficio Regionale del Lavoro.

F. E. BRAINE
Direttore della
Sottocommissione del Lavoro.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LIGURIA REGION APO 394
LABOR DIVISION

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LIG/LAB/ 101.15

28 Sept. 1945

SUBJECT : Resignation of On. Francesco CURTI
as Regional Labor Director.

TO : Labor S/C
H.Q. A.C. ROME.

1. For the sake of clarification, attached herewith are the reasons for the change that was made here in Liguria Region. It is requested that the Italian Ministry of Labor be advised of the reasons that led to the appointment of Dr. G. SALMERI in the place of On. F. CURTI as Regional Labor Director, so as to avoid any future misunderstanding on the matter.

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U. ALESSANDRINI
Captain Infantry
Labor Officer.

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LIGURIA REGION APO 394
LABOR DIVISION

REFERENCE : LIG/LAB/103.081

16 August.. 1945

SUBJECT : Regional Labor Director

TO : Regional Commissioner Liguria

1. The Regional Labor Director CURTI Francesco is wholly unqualified for the Office.

2. He is actively engaged in politics, and favors party members.

3. He spends the greater part of his time in making business contacts.

4. He was previously a labor Director for Perugia. There he was recommended for discharge by the Regional Commissioner, the Regional Labor Officer, and the Legal Officer.

5. It is recommended that he be removed from office at once.

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T. R. FISHER
Major.
Regional Labor Officer.

LABOUR SUB COMMISSION
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Routing Slip

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
LIGURIA REGION APO 394
LABOR DIVISION

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LIG/LAB/106.01

28 August 1945

SUBJECT : RIJAC minutes.

TO : Labor S/C
H.Q. A.C. R O M E .

1. Enclosed herein minutes of RIJAC meeting of 20 August.


U. ALESSANDRINI
Captain Infantry
Labor Officer.

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

COMITATO CONSULEVIO REGIONALE MIS
PER LA LIGURIA

VERBALE DELLA SEDUTA DEL 20 AGOSTO 1945

Sono presenti:

Il Presidente: Vice Prefetto avv. Fortusio;

Il Signor Palenzona Segretario della Camera del Lavoro in rappresentanza del Vice Presidente Pizzorno;

L'avv. Sciarretta Rappresentante dei datori di lavoro;

Segretario: il Segretario Generale dell'Ufficio Regionale del Lavoro Dr. Salmeri.

Iniziata la seduta vengono presi in esame i contratti, rispettivamente stipulati in data 10/3/45, 6/3/45, 10/3/45, 23/7/45, 2/3/45, relativi agli adeguamenti salariali delle seguenti categorie:

Lavoratori delle industrie chimiche di Genova

Lavoratori Arti grafiche e cartotecnici di Genova

Lavoratori Industria dello zucchero di Genova

Lavoratori Industria marmi e pietre di Genova

Lavoratori del caffè e bar di Genova.

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Il Rappresentante dei datori di lavoro, avv. Sciarretta, fa proprie le considerazioni espresse dal Dott. Ducci nella precedente seduta dell'8 agosto relativamente agli accordi concernenti i dipendenti della Società di Navigazione "Italia" "Oriente" "Tirrenia" "Adriatica" e gli addetti all'industria della carta e all'industria del legno, e per le stesse ragioni esprime parere sfavorevole alla ratifica degli accordi in esame che riscontra essere ricalcati sulla falsariga di quelli stipulati il 25 e 26 giugno 1945 relativi ai metalmeccanici ed ai siderurgici.

Il Presidente del Comitato avv. Fortusio ed il Rappresentante dei lavoratori sig. Palenzona confermando le loro dichiarazioni fatte in seno al Comitato relativamente agli accordi sopracitati, esprimono parere fa-

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avvole; pertanto l'inoltro con parere favorevole per la ratifica dei contratti in questione risulta approvato a maggioranza.

Vengono quindi presi in esame gli accordi relativi alle seguenti categorie rispettivamente stipulati in data 25/7/45, 27/7/45 :

Lavoratori industrie metalmeccaniche di Savona

Lavoratori industrie chimiche di Savona.

L'avv. Sciarretta da una parte e il Presidente del Comitato e il sig. Palenzona dall'altra confermano le dichiarazioni fatte per il precedente gruppo di contratti relativamente agli accordi in esame, osservando peraltro che in essi vi sono alcune deficienze formali laddove si parla di minimi di contingenza in luogo di minimi di retribuzione complessiva.

Pertanto l'inoltro con parere favorevole per la ratifica dei contratti in questione risulta approvato a maggioranza.

Vengono quindi presi in esame gli accordi relativi alle sottoseguenti categorie :

Dirigenti di aziende industriali

Impiegati Istituto S. Paolo

Lavoratori parrucchieri per uomo e signora.

Il Comitato decide all'unanimità di inviare alla ratifica del Commissario Regionale gli accordi sopracitati muniti di parere favorevole.

Viene quindi preso in esame l'accordo relativo ai :
Lavoratori dipendenti dagli Alberghi e ristoranti di La Spezia.

Il Comitato ad unanimità esprime parere favorevole alla ratifica dell'accordo in questione mentre per ciò che riguarda la clausola arbitrale in esso contenuta, avuto riguardo agli art. 806 e 429 C.P.C., osserva che essa non può avere che una limitata funzione conciliativa.

Viene quindi preso in esame l'accordo del 28/7/45 relativo ai lavoratori delle industrie edili di Savona : il Comitato decide di rimandare ogni conclusione in merito, perchè si possa procedere ad un più accurato esame dell'accordo stesso.



F.to Avv. PERTUSIO
" Avv. SCIARRETTA
" Sig. PALENZONA
" Dr. SALMERI

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COMITATO CONSULTIVO REGIONALE
PER LA LIGURIA

R.I.S.A.C.

Minutes of the Aug. 20th meeting.

The following were present :

PRESIDENT : Avv. FORTUSIO, Vice President :

MEMBER : FR. PALANCA, Secr. Chamber of Labor, in place of Vice President Dr. Finnero;

Avv. SCIARRETTA, Representing the employers;

SECRETARY : Dr. ZALMERI, Gen. Secr. Reg. Labor Office.

At the beginning of the meeting were examined the agreements signed on Aug. 10th, 6th, 10th, July 29th and Aug. 2nd respectively, concerning wage adjustments for the following:

Workers of the Chemical Industries - Genoa

Workers of the Graphic Arts and Cardboard Ind. - Genoa

Workers of the Sugar Industries - Genoa

Workers of the Stone and Marble Ind. - Genoa

Workers of Caffe and Tea - Genoa.

The representative of the employers, Avv. Sciarratta, addressed to the statement expressed by Dr. Ducci in the previous meeting on Aug. 8th concerning the agreements for the personnel of the Nav. Oppe. "Italia" - "Grigori" - "Tirreno" - "Adriatico" and for workers of the paper and wood Industries, and for the same reasons gives unfavourable opinion for the ratification of the agreements in question, which, he declares, are similar to those signed on June 16th and 28th 1945 concerning Metallurgia and Metalmeccanica Workers.

The President of the R.I.S.A.C., Avv. Fortusio, and the representative of the workers, Fr. Palanca confirm the statement made at the previous meeting about the aforementioned agreements, and give favourable opinion; therefore the agreements in question are forwarded to ratification with favourable opinion with a majority of votes.

The following agreements were then examined, signed on July 16th and 27th respectively :

Metalmeccanica Industries of Savona

Chemical Industries of Savona.

Avv. Sciarratta on one hand and the President of the R.I.J.A.C. and Mr. Palenzona on the other confirm the agreement in question the statements made for the preceding group of contracts, pointing out that they contain some formal errors where "Contingency Minimums" are mentioned in place of "Minimum monthly contributions".

However it was decided with a majority of votes to forward the above agreement with favourable opinion.

The following agreements were then examined :

- Officials of Industrial Plants
- Employees of the "Istituto San Paolo"
- Gentlemen's and Ladies' Hairdressers.

The R.I.J.A.C. unanimously decides to forward the above agreements with favourable opinion to the National Commission for ratification.

The agreement concerning the Hotel and Restaurant Parkers of La Spezia was then examined.

The R.I.J.A.C. unanimously declares to forward it with favourable opinion for ratification, though pointing out that the arbitral clauses contained can only have limited conciliatory power, according to Art. 806 and 823 C.P.C.

The agreement concerning the workers of the Building Industry of Savona, signed on July 28th, was then examined. The R.I.J.A.C. decides to remit it's decision to the next meeting so as to examine more accurately the agreement itself.

(Signed)

Avv. SCIARRATTA
Avv. PALENZONA
Dr. PALENZONA
Dr. CALDERI



HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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TEL : Ext.426.

3 October 1945

REF : LSC/1003.

SUBJECT: Request for return to Italy of
Sgt.Ten. R.E. Chiaraviglio Nicolo.TO : Displaced Persons and Repatriation
Sub-Commission.

1. Attached is an application, which has been forwarded to this Sub-Commission by the Regional Labour Officer of the Piemonte Region, for the repatriation of the above named person who is said to be in Allied employment in Egypt.

2. This Sub-Commission supports the application and would be glad to be advised in due course of any action you may be able to take to secure the early return of the person concerned to this country.

DAVID G. SACHS
Deputy Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
PIEMONTE REGION
LABOUR DIVISION
A.P.O. 394- U.S. ARMY

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REF. : PR/LA/121/389 25 Sept. 1945
SUBJECT : Request for expeditious return to Italy of
Sot.Ten. R.E. Chiaraviglio Nicolao.
TO : Director Labour Sub-Commission. 

1.- Reference is made to attached letter from the Construction Firm "Castaudi & Serra" with a covering letter from the "Unione Industriali" of Torino.-

2.- Request is made in the aforementioned letter for the early return of Sott.Ten. Chiaraviglio urgently required for Engineering activities with the above mentioned Firm.-

3.- From enquiries by this Division it would appear that this is a genuine case and it is therefore submitted that Labour Sub-Commission recommends this application in forwarding it to the competent authorities.-

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E. SCICLUNA, Major
Regional Labour Officer

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Translation Baldazzi

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CONFEDERATION OF INDUSTRIALISTS
Provincial Union of Turin

21 September 1945

DSC/823

Prot.n° 3696 P/lm

SUBJECT: Ing. Castaudi & Serra Firm=
Building constructions = Turin =
Second lieutenant R.E. Chiaraviglio
Nicolao, care of military party of
the former Division Cuneo, Egypt.

TO : the ALLIED COMMAND
Labour Division
Turin

We are kindly asking this Allied Command to take interest in obtaining the repatriation of the

"Second lieutenant CHIARAVIGLIO son of Peter,
Military class 1921, actually with the former
Division Cuneo, working in collaboration with
the Allies in Egypt".

This repatriation is requested by the Ing. Castaudi & Serra Firm, a business for construction of public works, in connection with the carrying out of works actually under way, as it appears from the enclosed letter.

We thank you beforehand for the authoritative interest that this Allied Command will show for the grant of the petition submitted by the beforementioned Firm affiliated to our Confederation.

THE DIRECTOR

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1 Enclosure

Translation Baldanzi

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CASTAUDI & SERRA
AEDILE CONSTRUCTORS

Turin, 21 August 1945

TO : The PRESIDENT
of the Aedile Constructors' Board
Turin

We would feel obliged for your kind interest in
behalf of the following:

We have learned that we might be able to obtain
- through your kind support - the repatriation of young
men interned in Palestine, owing to his particular in-
clination for collaborating to the technical and adminis-
trative activity of our Firm. As you know, our Firm has
undertaken important works, which are actually well under
way, for the reconstruction of bridges and especially
of the Viaduct of Busino along the railway line Turin-Ge-
nova, as well as other works of reconstruction of indus-
trial buildings, such as the Fiat-Mirafiori, Melegnano,
ITAT, Mobili and Co, Manifattura Parodi, etc.

The actual address of the above young man is as
follows:

Second lieutenant CHIARAVIGLIO Nicola son of Peter,
born in Turin on 2.6.1921 - 3328 C-C - G.H.2 - O.R.E
M.F.F.

According to our knowledge, he made his escape from
Rodi in September 1943, he committed himself to the
British forces in the Sini island, then he was transferred
to Palestine and afterwards to Egypt, and was attached
over there to a military party of the former Cuneo' Divi-
sion, which is actually working with the Allies.

We should be obliged if you kindly would inquire
about the possibility of quickening the repatriation
of this young man, as well as about the way by which it
would be possible to attain ^{it} an aim, and we thank you
heartedly for it, with our kindest regards.

ING. CASTAUDI AND SERRA FIRM
Castaudi

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LIGURIA REGION - VEREER REGION

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LABOR OFFICER CMA REGIONAL COMMISSIONER VEREER REGION ATTENTION CAPTAIN
SIANRAGO LABOR OFFICER FROM ALCON HEADQUARTERS CITY ACLEAS PAREN

PARA TWO PD REQUEST THAT NOT LATER THAN FOUR OCTOBER YOU INFORM LABOR SUB
COMMISSION BY CABLE OR PHONE WHICH TYPE OF CERTIFICATE CMA QUOTE ABLE UNQUOTE
CMA QUOTE BAKER UNQUOTE OR QUOTE MAY UNQUOTE YOU HAVE SIGNED OR PROPOSE
SIGNING PD

PARA THREE PD IF YOU ARE SIGNING QUOTE BAKER UNQUOTE CERTIFICATE YOU SHOULD
INFORM US OF DATE UNTIL WHICH YOU EXPRESS WILLINGNESS TO REMAIN PD

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G. J. LEONE
CWO, USA
Asst Adjutant

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