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SUBJECT: ESTABLISHMENT AND STAFFING OF LABOUR OFFICES

No	Date	To	REMARKS	From
1	30/4	Brig. Anderson	W. H. Braine Your consideration and approval of proposed draft of letter, opposite, is requested. W. H. Braine W. H. BRAINE Director, Labor S/C	W. H. Braine
2	2/5	Vice President	I have no observations. Have You? L. K. Rankin Brig.	Prod Div.
		Col. Denson	Draft O.K. [illegible] 3/5/45	

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REF : LSC/413

30 June 1945

My dear Mr. Prime Minister:

I have received your letter of 2[illegible] June regarding the question of wages and salaries in Northern Italy. I should first like to dispel any illusion that the Allied Authorities desire to keep wages and salaries unchanged. In fact the contrary is the case, for it is recognised that changes in living conditions in the North of Italy will inevitably occur and will make it necessary to adjust wages and salaries.

In Allied Military Government General Order No. 41, which is now promulgated throughout Northern Italy, it is specifically stated that representatives of organised labor and of industry may negotiate for variations in the prevailing wage contracts and may submit new wage agreements for the approval of Allied Military Government. The organization of Provincial Labor Offices and Regional Labor Offices which Allied Military Government, with the agreement of the Italian Government, is establishing in Northern Italy provides for the reception of proposals for wage variations; and in each Region a Regional Italian Joint Advisory Committee is being established comprising representatives of the Italian State, industry and workers to which proposals for wage changes are referred in order that Allied Military Government may have the benefit of advice of representatives of the interests concerned before deciding on wage changes.

A number of proposals for wage increases have been made as a result of negotiations between workers and employers, and after reference to the Regional Italian Joint Advisory Committee such proposals have been approved by Allied Military Government in Northern Italy. It will be seen, therefore, that a system has been established by which wage variations can be considered for various industries or in particular localities according to the special circumstances prevailing, and I trust that you will agree that this system should be adequate if operated with the maximum amount of goodwill on all sides. If it becomes apparent that a general improvement in the North is necessary, instead of or in addition to variations in particular industries or localities, full consideration will be given to any representations made by representatives of organised labor in conjunction with representatives of industry.

Allied Military Government General Order No. 41 provides that agreements for wage changes must receive the approval of Allied Military Government. This requirement is made in order to introduce some degree of regulation in the field of wages, in order to avoid, as far as possible, inflationary tendencies and in order to safeguard the general interests of Italian industry and workers so long as Allied Military Government is responsible for the area which it administers.

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It is not proposed that this policy should be operated in any arbitrary sense, but that due regard should be paid to the advice received from the various Italian interests affected.

I note that you are prepared to make definite proposals on this subject and I should be glad to have an interchange of views so that we may arrive at the utmost agreement at the earliest possible date.

Yours very truly.

/s/ Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Professor Ferruccio Parri
The President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome

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Roma, 29 giugno 1945

Gentilissimo Professore,

ho saputo della sua nomina a Sotto-segretario al Ministero delle Finanze, e sono ben lieto di potermi congratulare per il rinnovato riconoscimento di quelle qualità che ho avuto tante volte occasione di apprezzare durante il periodo delle sua attività quale Sottosegretario per il Lavoro.

Tutto ciò non toglie che mi rincresca molto di perdere la sua collaborazione, per la quale desidero rinnovarle i miei ringraziamenti, con i più cordiali saluti ed auguri per il suo nuovo lavoro.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

Prof. ENRICO PARESCE
Sottosegretario per il Ministero
delle Finanze - ROMA

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Files. : Sec. 416 28 June 1945

Ref. : AFHQ/413/1002

SUBJECT : Labor Problems in Italy.

TO : Brig.Gen. H.S. McKinley
Acting Vice-President
Economic Section.

1. The object of this memorandum is to recommend that a conference be arranged with the new Italian Prime Minister and his representative Ministers to discuss the handling of labor problems in AMG territory and in Italian Government administered territory.

2. It could be said that the previous Bonomi Government knew and was in agreement with the proposed policy of AMG with regard to regulation of wage changes in AMG territory and with regard to general labor problems. The attention of that Government had also been drawn to the inflationary tendencies arising from the lack of wage regulation in Italian Government territory, and representations had been made to them in that respect.

3. It seems evident that the new Government and the new Ministers are not aware of Allied policy and that Allied Commission cannot count upon their support and cooperation until the situation is fully explained to them. It is also possible that the new Italian Government may formulate some general policy which may have repercussions on AMG action in Northern Italy.

4. A.C. policy, as agreed with the former Government representatives, was to maintain, as long as possible, the wages-prices levels found on liberation of Northern Italy; and to control wages levels by permitting only such increases as appeared to be justified on evidence of variations in living conditions and prices. General Order No. 41 gives effect to this policy.

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5. The situation has generally been held for approximately two months. It is recognised that improvement must be permitted and the first step has been taken with regard to increasing salaries of State employees, while in various localities reasonable increases in wages have been approved by AMG. If the full cooperation of all the Italian interests could be ensured, the

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3. The situation has generally been held for approximately two months. It is recognized that improvement must be permitted and the first step has been taken with regard to increasing salaries of State employees, while in various localities reasonable increases in wages have been approved by AMG. If the full cooperation of all the Italian interests could be assured, the A.C. policy might continue to be applied. But there is evidence of a strong movement among workers in the North, which finds expression in the Ilen area, for increases of wages and payments of large sums in arrears which are unreasonable and would be harmful to Italian internal economy if permitted to develop. If A.C. can secure the open support of the new Italian Government to resist things of this nature, AMG will be in a better position to handle the trouble that will inevitably develop. But if the full agreement of the Italian Government is not so assured, or even worse, if the Italian Government does not support A.C. policy on this issue, it is doubtful whether the situation in AMG territory can be held. In such circumstances it would be necessary to revise AC/AMG policy and procedure.

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5. A labor issue of equal importance is the diversion of surplus labor from industry to other forms of employment or to unemployment insurance. The first step has already been taken by General Order No. 48, which was agreed in principle and in detail with representatives of the former Italian Government. The application of that Order implies the transfer of a number of wage earners from a fairly substantial wage to a sum of 16.50 lire per day. In comparison with the standard unemployment insurance rate of 3 lire per day, this represents a considerable improvement, but in the light of living conditions in the North and the benefits the workers have hitherto enjoyed in the liberation and immediate post-liberation period, troubles may be expected to develop from the operation of the Order unless the full cooperation of the new Italian Government and other interests is secured.

6. It is, therefore, strongly recommended that a meeting with the new Prime Minister and his representative Ministers should be arranged without delay to discuss labor problems.

W. H. HAINS
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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22 June 1946

SUBJECT: Candidate for position in new Labor Ministry

TO : Labor Sub-Commission

1. The attached was handed me by Brigadier Anderson with the information that he received it from Lt. Col. J. Campbell as someone's suggestion as to a likely candidate for under-secretary or some such job in the new Labor Ministry. The impression was created that strong assistance might be needed in the new Labor Ministry.

2. I suggest that you contact Colonel Campbell to ascertain the facts.

E. S. McKINLEY
Brigadier General, USA
Acting Vice President
Economic Section

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prof. Francesco Dominedò

Ordinario di Diritto della navigazione e Incaricato di Diritto del Lavoro nell'Università di Roma

- Commissario dell'Istituto Superiore di Studi del Lavoro e della Previdenza Sociale

- V. Segretario Generale della Confederazione Cooperativa Italiana

- Presidente dell'Istituto Cooperativo Italiano

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	Initials	Date
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Mr. SACHS		
Mr. HIRD		
Mr. SCOTT		
Mr. PROCTOR		
Miss. STEVENSON		
Miss. SANSEVERINO		
Chief Clerk		

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26 June 1945

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Economic Section

1. We return the "Routing and Work Sheet" concerning Italian Decree #145, together with all letters attached.

2. In view of Mr. Braine's suggestion in paragraph 3 of his letter of 11 June, reference LSC/217/1002, that no action appears to be necessary on the subject, it is suggested that these papers be retained by your Section.

for Chief Staff Officer,
To Executive Commissioner.

To Pol. Sec. - 27/6. [illegible]

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SUBJECT: Italian Decree No 148.

No	Date	To	REMARKS	From
1	29 May	C A Sec ✓	1. Ref attd ltr 36432/10292.9/1.3.1 of 27 May. Attn des invited to minute 13 of minutes of EK Com's meeting of 11 May 45. 2. Request your comments, please, before an acknowledgment of the Prime Minister's letter is prepared. Highet Capt	E/S
2	30 May	Legal S/C	For your comments please Highet.	CA S.
3	31 May	Econ Sec (thru Legal S/C)	The FM make the following points: a. DLL No. 148 was passed to prevent REG: No 18/B becoming effective in the north retroactively to 1 Nov 45. b. The present economic policy for the north is dealt with in DLL No. 180 which is in with AC policy and excludes REG No. 18/B.	Legal S/C

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No	Date	To	REMARKS (cont'd)	From
			c. DLI No. 148 was necessary, as the two aspects (a) and (b) are quite different, and DLI No. 148 will remain in force even if DLI No. 150 is varied. d. DLI No. 148 was in fact drafted before the necessity for the economic policy for the north was appreciated. As to these, I agree that it is desirable to prevent retroactivity. This could have been achieved perfectly well by incorporating the necessary words into DLI No. 150--as in fact AG did in the implementation order appearing in the Supplement to G.O. 51. It appears to me incredible that the Italian Government was unaware on 22 Apr 45, when DLI 149 was passed, of the suggestions which Economic Section was proposing for the north even if the policy had not by that date finally crystallized. The PM's letter in fact answers nothing, but I suppose that we must accept the assurance that there was no malice and attribute the incident to the inaptitude of the Italian draftsmen. W. E. Barnett, Colonel, Deputy Chief Legal Advisor.	
4	1 Dec	Faber S/C	1. Pls note minute 3 above. 2. It appears the practice may be closed without further correspondence. If you concur please file this. CECIL E HIGHLAND, JR Captain, infantry 415	E/S

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Translation

The President of the Council of Ministers

36432/10282.9/1.3.1

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Rome, 27 May 1945

Dear Admiral,.

In your letter of the 21st, you expressed your annoyance at the publication - in the Gazzetta Ufficiale n. 51 of April 28th - of the D.L.L. 22 April 1945, n. 148, concerning the future enforcement of D.L.L. 6 December 1943, n. 18/B, in the territories in which this decree has not yet been extended.

I hasten to make it clear that the said D.L.L. 22 April 1945, n. 148, in no way modifies the present economic treatment of public employees.

The publishing of the said D.L.L. is connected with the well know question which came up some time ago a propos of the date when the R.D.L. n. 18/B was to be considered in force; this was the subject of the letter you sent me on February 21st. As you remember, the temporary integration of salary granted by the decree started from the date fixed by the decree itself, i.e., from November 1st, 1943. It was therefore necessary to observe this one date in the various territories which were being liberated, and in which the decree was enforced, in relation with the right already acquired by the officials.

In your letter of February 27th, you agreed with my point of view that the formerly established legal situation was to be respected, paying the officials what was due to them because of the said date of payment. In this occasion, we also agreed that it was advisable to prevent a similar situation from arising in the other provinces which had not yet been libereted or to which the decree n. 18/B had not yet been extended, by its enforcement from November 1st, 1943 onward; this would have thrust new and heavy burdens on the financial Administration; this would not be jautified, considering the different and less difficult economic conditions in these other territories. To this end, and to exclude the said retroactive enforcement, this regulation which is now published under n. 148 has been issued. From the technical point of view, the regulation is expressed by a formulaentirely similar to that which was adopted in the other regulations of the same kind (as, for instance, in D.L.L. 18 November 1944, n. 328, and in D.L.L. 26 April 1945, n. 180). As a matter of fact, art. 1 of the said decree n. 148

Admiral Ellery W. Stone
Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
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states that in the provinces which have not yet been handed over to Italian Administration, the treatment for temporary integration is in force from the day which will be established by the orders of the Allied Military Government. The same article adds that, failing these instructions, the said treatment will be enforced, in every province, starting from the first day of the month in which the relative chief town will go back to Italian Administration; this also for the R.D.L. n. 18/B to have no retroactive effect in future.

Meanwhile, the economic treatment of the officials who reside in the North has been regulated, on general principles, by the D.L.L. 26 April 1945, n. 180, which has been drafted in close agreement with the organs of the Allied Commission and in conformity with the well known principles of economic policy aiming at preventing inflation. The principle admitted on this subject was the blocking in accordance to the regulations which were in force on September 8th 1943, of the economic treatement, of any kind whatever, of the officials residing in the provinces North of Tuscany and in thoseof Forli' and Ravenna. For greater clearness, the decree defines that the applicability of the economic improvements decided by the Italian Government after September 8th 1943 is therefore excluded in the said territories; these include the temporary integration granted by the R.D. 6 December 1943, n. 18/B. The latter can therefore not be enforced in the provinces under the above mentioned block; nor will the fact of the return of the said provinces under Italian Administration imply its enforcement. As a matter of fact, the D.L.L. n. 180 expressly states in art. 2 that the block of economic treatments will be in force till the Allied Military Government decides otherwise, or after a decision of the Italian Government when these provinces will have been handed over.

The scheme of decree n. 148 was already drafted, when, at the same time, it became necessary to to t ke action for the blocking of the economic treatments. The different bearing of the two regulations made it clear that the first couldn't be considered as absorbed by the second, and that it had therefore to be issued also. To avoid any doubtful interpretation, the regulation on the block has been issued and published after the one concerning the enforcement of the R.D.L. n. 18/B.

I feel sure that the above mentioned explanations will clear up the misunderstanding caused by the publication of the decree n. 148.

I remain, my dear Admiral,

Yours very truly,

s. I. Bonomi

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Roma, 27 maggio 1945

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Il Presidente
del Consiglio dei Ministri

Mio caro Ammiraglio,

con la lettera del 21 corrente, Ella mi ha manifestato il Suo disappunto per l'avvenuta pubblicazione - nella Gazzetta Ufficiale n.51 del 28 aprile scorso - del D.L.L. 22 aprile 1945,n.148, concernente la futura applicazione del D.L.L. 6 dicembre 1943,n.18/B, nei territori ai quali quest'ultimo decreto non è stato fino ad ora esteso.

Mi affretto a chiarirLe che il citato D.L.L. 22 aprile 1945,n. 148, non modifica in nulla il vigente trattamento economico dei pubblici impiegati.

La emanazione del citato D.L.L. si riallaccia alla nota questione sorta a suo tempo circa la decorrenza del R.D.L. n.18/B, che formò oggetto della lettera da me direttaLe in data 21 febbraio scorso. Come Ella ricorda, la integrazione temporanea del trattamento economico, concessa da detto decreto, aveva effetto dalla data stabilita nel decreto stesso, e cioè dal 1° novembre 1943. Conseguentemente, nei vari territori via via liberati in cui il decreto è entrato in vigore, si rendeva necessario osservare quella unica decorrenza, in

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All'Ammiraglio Ellery W.STONE
Commissario Capo della
Commissione Alleata

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Il Presidente
del Consiglio dei Ministri

relazione al diritto già acquisito dagli impiegati.

Con la Sua lettera del 27 febbraio, Ella aderì al mio punto di vista, nel senso che si dovesse pienamente rispettare la situazione giuridica precostituitasi, corrispondendo agli impiegati quanto ad essi spettava per effetto di detta decorrenza. In quella occasione, ci trovammo, altresì, d'accordo sulla opportunità di impedire che nelle altre provincie non ancora liberate ed alle quali il decreto n.18/B non era stato ancora esteso si riproducesse una identica situazione, entrando esso in vigore con la stessa decorrenza del 1° novembre 1943: il che avrebbe esposto l'Amministrazione finanziaria a nuovi e gravi oneri, che non apparivano, d'altronde, giustificati, date le diverse e meno difficili condizioni economiche di quegli altri territori. Precisamente a tale scopo e cioè per escludere detta applicazione retroattiva, venne predisposto il provvedimento ora pubblicato con il n.148. Il provvedimento stesso è congegnato, dal punto di vista tecnico, con una formula del tutto simile a quella adottata negli altri provvedimenti del genere (come, ad esempio, nel D.L.L. 18 novembre 1944, n.328, e nel D.L.L. 26 aprile 1945, n.180). L'art.1 del citato decreto n.148 dispone, infatti, che nelle provincie non ancora restituite all'Amministrazione italiana, il trattamento a titolo di integrazione temporanea ha effetto dal giorno che sia stabilito con disposizioni del Governo Militare Alleato. Lo stesso articolo soggiunge che, in mancanza di tali disposizioni, detto trat-

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tamento trova applicazione, in ciascuna provincia, dal primo giorno del mese in cui il relativo capoluogo torni all'Amministrazione italiana: ciò sempre al fine di togliere per l'avvenire ogni efficacia retroattiva al R.D.L. n.18/B.

Frattanto, il trattamento economico degli impiegati residenti nel Nord è stato regolato, in linea generale, con il D.L.L. 26 aprile 1945,n.180, alla cui formulazione si è addivenuto in stretta intesa con gli organi della Commissione Alleata ed in conformità delle ben note direttive di politica economica intese a prevenire la inflazione. Il principio accolto al riguardo è stato quello di bloccare alle misure che erano in vigore l'8 settembre 1943 il trattamento economico, a qualsiasi titolo, dei pubblici dipendenti residenti nelle provincie al nord della Toscana ed in quelle di Forlì e Ravenna. Per maggiore chiarezza, il decreto precisa che è quindi esclusa,nei detti territori, l'applicabilità dei miglioramenti economici disposti dal Governo italiano successivamente all'8 settembre 1943; tra i quali rientra appunto la integrazione temporanea concessa dal R.D. 6 dicembre 1943,n.18/B. Quest'ultimo, pertanto, non può trovare alcuna applicazione nelle provincie soggette al blocco anzidetto; nè a farlo entrare in vigore basterà il semplice fatto del ritorno delle provincie stesse all'Amministrazione italiana. Infatti, il D.L.L. n.180 dispone espressamente, all'art.2, che il blocco dei trattamenti economici opererà fino a quando non venga diversamente disposto

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Il Presidente
del Consiglio dei Ministri

dal Governo Militare Alleato o - dopo la restituzione di quelle provincie - dallo stesso Governo italiano.

Lo schema del decreto n.148 era stato già predisposto quando, negli stessi giorni, sopraggiunse la necessità di disporre il blocco dei trattamenti economici. Senonchè, la diversa portata dei due provvedimenti ha indotto a ritenere che il primo di essi non potesse considerarsi assorbito dal secondo e che si dovesse quindi dargli egualmente corso. Ad evitare, peraltro, ogni dubbio interpretativo, il provvedimento relativo al blocco è stato emanato e pubblicato dopo di quello riguardante l'applicazione del R.D.L. n.18/B.

Sono certo che i suesposti chiarimenti varranno a dissipare l'increscioso equivoco cui la pubblicazione del decreto n.148 ha dato origine.

Colgo l'occasione per rinnovarLe, caro Ammiraglio, i sensi della mia viva considerazione

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For your file — I assumed as you drafted the original ltr to the PM, I assume you'd like this to complete your record. [illegible]

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ITALIAN GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

1. The following condensed facts reference the formation of the new Italian Government are set forth for the information of all concerned.

2. The new government, formed by Prime Minister Ferruccio Parri decreed the following as Ministers on June 21:

Office	Name	Party
President	Ferruccio Parri	Action
Vice President	Pietro Nenni	Socialist
Vice President	Manlio Brosio	Liberal
Agriculture	Fausto Gullo	Communist
Air	Mario Cevolotto	Labor Democrat
Education	Vincenzo Arangio-Ruiz	Liberal
Finance	Mauro Scoccimarro	Communist
Food	Enrico Mole	Labor Democrat
Foreign Affairs	Alcide De Gasperi	Christian Democrat
Industry & Commerce	Giovanni Gronchi	Christian Democrat
Interior	Ferruccio Parri	Action
Justice	Palmiro Togliatti	Communist
Labor & Welfare	Gaetano Barbareschi	Socialist
Navy	Raffaele De Courten	Independent
Post and Telegraphs	Mario Scelba	Christian Democrat
Postwar Relief	Emilio Lussu	Action
Public Works	Giuseppe Romita	Socialist
Reconstruction	Meuccio Ruini	Labor Democrat
Transport	Ugo La Malfa	Action
Treasury	Marcello Soleri	Liberal
War	Stefano Iacini	Christian Democrat

3. By parties the government includes:three representatives Action Party; Interior, Transport, Postwar Relief; Four representatives Christian Democrat Party, Industry & Commerce, War, Foreign affairs, Posts & Telegraphs; three representatives Communist Party, Justice, Agriculture, Finance; Three representatives Labor Democrat Party, Air, Food, Reconstruction; two representatives Liberal Party, Treasury, Education (and a Vice President); two representatives Socialist Party, Public Works, Labor (and a Vice President).

4. The following changes have been made in the governmental organizatic
a. The Ministries of Food, Reconstruction, and Postwar Relief are ne
b. The Ministry of Labor has been divorced from Industry & Commerce

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Finance	Mauro Scoccimarro	Communist
Food	Enrico Mola	Labor Democrat
Foreign Affairs	Alcide De Gasperi	Christian Democrat
Industry & Commerce	Giovanni Gronchi	Christian Democrat
Interior	Ferruccio Parri	Action
Justice	Palmiro Togliatti	Communist
Labor & Welfare	Gaetano Barbareschi	Socialist
Navy	Raffaele De Courten	Independent
Post and Telegraphs	Mario Scelba	Christian Democrat
Postwar Relief	Emilio Lussu	Action
Public Works	Giuseppe Romita	Socialist
Reconstruction	Meuccio Ruini	Labor Democrat
Transport	Ugo La Malfa	Action
Treasury	Marcello Soleri	Liberal
War	Stefano Iacini	Christian Democrat

3. By parties the government includes:three representatives Action Party; Interior, Transport, Postwar Relief; Four representatives Christian Democrat Party, Industry & Commerce, War, Foreign Affairs, Posts & Telegraphs; three representatives Communist Party, Justice, Agriculture, Finance; Three representatives Labor Democrat Party, Air, Food, Reconstruction; two representatives Liberal Party, Treasury, Education (and a Vice President); two representatives Socialist Party, Public Works, Labor (and a Vice President).

4. The following changes have been made in the governmental organizatio
   a. The Ministries of Food, Reconstruction, and Postwar Relief are no
   b. The Ministry of Labor has been divorced from Industry & Commerce and now forms a new office entitled Ministry of Labor & Social Welfare.
   c. There is to be a High Commissioner for Health which will be headed by Gino Sorenni (Liberal).
   d. The office of Minister for Occupied Italy has been dropped.

5. Pietro Nenni is to prepare the Costituente and take charge of Anti-Fascist Sanctions. Manlio Brosio will form the Consulta and take charge of municipal elections.

Norman R. Smith
NORMAN R. SMITH
Major, AGD
Chief, Adm. & Pers. Branch

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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TEL : Ext. 418

25 June 1945

REF : LSC/1002+521

SUBJECT: Mine Strike in CALTANISSETTA Province.

TO : The Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor

1. This is to notify you of the following cable received from our Liaison Officer in Palermo:

"Subject is mine strike in CALTANISSETTA Province. Sulphur workers had requested wage increase of from 100 to 170 lire (8) lire per day above present daily wage scale which ranges from 89 to 151 lire. On 16 June a workers and employers committee agreed to an increase ranging from 45 to 90 depending on age of the worker provided that sulphur be increased from present price of 5700 lire to 9000 per ton but workers have not waited. They went on strike yesterday. Believe strike has involved all Sicilian sulphur mines. (Date of Origin: June 21)."

DAVID C. SACHS
Deputy Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 534
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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15 June 1945

TEL : Ext. 416

REF : LSC/1002

SUBJECT: General Association of the Italian Handicraft

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of 15 June addressed to the Director of this Sub-Commission.

We are very happy to learn of the purposes of your organization. Please be assured of our cooperation in any plans which your organization may propose to reconstruct the Italian handicraft industry.

Yours sincerely,

DAVID C. SACHS
Deputy Director
Labor Sub-Commission

Associazione Generale Dell'Artigianato
Italiano
Via del Plebiscito, 102
Rome

Attention: L. Rufi, President

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ASSOCIAZIONE GENERALE DELL'ARTIGIANATO ITALIANO

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ROMA the 15th June 1945
Sede provvisoria: Via del Plebiscito, 102
Telefono 62-767

To Mr W.H.BRAINE
Director Labour Sub-Commission
R O M E

Gentleman,

This General Association of the Italian Handicraft, which includes the adhesions of the freely organizations arisen in Italy by the free will of handicraftsmen, esteem its duty to bring to Your kind notice the situation and conditions of such ad important branch in the economic activity and to offer to You, at the same time, in the limit of its possibilities, the full collaboration that You may require from it.

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It has been drawn up by us, some time ago, ad organic scheme for the re-building up of handicraft's firms wrecked or damaged by war actions, which scheme has been submitted successively to the Allied Military Government by the channel of the C.E.I. (Experts Committee for the Industrial's Reconstruction) in which body this Association has its own representatives.

Such scheme, which has been drawn up on December last, could not be considered, chiefly after the liberation of the Italian's northern provinces, as answering to the real conditions of the Italian Handicraft, even because restricted investigations were displayed only to the provinces which were, at that time, freed.

It's our idea then to get the scheme anew through the datas which should be brought to us by the channel of mecanisms existing in the Upper Italy, in order to be able to submit to You the complete and organic situation of the Italian Handicraft.

The rising up of all the handicraft's activities, could not be realized without a concrete and efficient assistance and by the supply of machinery, implements and raw material. Such deed must obviously be supported by the development of credit for that shops which may give assurance to be in a position to raise again and to improve and, aboce all, for several section of artistic handicraft, for the examination of Exports possibilities.

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This is briefly the work that this Association intends to di= splay in the trade field for the assistance and support of handi= craft and it esteem therefore an honour to bring what preceds to Your Knowledge, knowing by experience the benevolence shown by the Allied Military Government to all questions concerned with the Ita lian economy.

Yours faithfully.

THE PRESIDENT
of the General Association of the Italian Han= dicraft

(L.Rufi)

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

TEL. : 489081 - 493.

REF. : LSC/308/1002

21 Giugno 1945.

OGGETTO: Uffici Provinciali di Assicurazione Sociale, Sicilia.

AL : Ministero Industria, Commercio e Lavoro,
Direzione Generale per l'Assicurazione Sociale,
R O M A

1. Qui di seguito Vi comunichiamo l'estratto di un telegramma che abbiamo ricevuto dal Presidente del Comitato Regionale per la Sicilia:-

" Il personale dipendente dagli Uffici Provinciali dell'Assistenza Sociale, minacciato di licenziamento a seguito del decreto N.173 del Marzo 1945 che prevede l'immediata costituzione di nuovi comitati d'assistenza sociale nell'isola, con personale controllato da altre amministrazioni locali o da personale nuovamente assunto, protesta contro tale disposizione illegale. Il Ministero competente non ha preso in considerazione il decreto N.31 del Febbraio 1944 - Art.I, paragr.2, il quale stabilisce che le nomine fatte dal Governo Militare Alleato hanno validità legale come se fossero emanazione del Governo Italiano stesso. La situazione economica e giuridica degli impiegati adibiti a servizi pubblici dal Governo Militare Alleato verrà fissata in base alla Legge italiana. In vista del nuovo esercizio finanziario, essi pregano il Ministero competente e l'Alta Commissione per la Sicilia incaricata di tutelare gli interessi dell'UNRRA di prendere dei provvedimenti adatti ed urgenti contro il decreto, onde evitare che il detto personale sia seriamente danneggiato dal punto di vista economico. Un eventuale esito negativo del Vostro intervento indurrà certamente il personale a continuare le sue manifestazioni di protesta usando ogni legale mezzo. Questa pratica è stata trasmessa alla Federazione del Lavoro (CGIL) e, ove necessario, un ricorso sarà fatto all'Alto Consiglio dello Stato per violazione della legge e dei diritti acquisiti dal personale in virtù del decreto N.31 del Febbraio 1944.

PALMO -Commissario per UNRRA-PALERMO
Presidente del Comitato Regionale
per la Sicilia.

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2. Poichè il controllo della Sicilia è ora sotto la giurisdizione del governo Italiano, vorrete certamente prendere tutti i provvedimenti del caso d'accordo con gli organi italiani.

DAVID O. MACHE
Deputy-Director
Labour Sub-Commission.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

19 June 1945

Ref: AOO/79/EC

SUBJECT: Visits to North by Italian Government Officials

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

1. With a view to securing the greatest freedom of movement between North and South, restrictions on travel, as you know, were recently removed (except in respect of the areas set out in my letter 6/4B/CA dated 27 May 1945).

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

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

For the Chief Commissioner:

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

19 Giugno 1945

REF. : LSC/1602

OGGETTO: Rapporti con gli uffici locali in territorio sotto l'AMG.

AL : Ministero del Lavoro - Roma -

1. Ci permettiamo di richiamare l'attenzione di questo Ministero sulla necessità che tutte le pratiche svolte con gli uffici locali (Uffici del Lavoro, Ispettorato, Uffici dei vari Istituti per le Assicurazioni sociali, ecc.) situati in territorio sotto il Governo Militare Alleato, siano trattate per il tramite di questa Sottocommissione, al centro, e degli Uffici regionali dell'AMG, alla periferia.

2. Tale procedura è stabilita nel comune interesse di evitare duplicati e interferenze, i quali non possono che ostacolare un soddisfacente e sollecito svolgimento delle pratiche. Vi saremmo quindi molto grati se vorrete far avere istruzioni nel senso suddetto agli Uffici periferici da voi direttamente o indirettamente controllati, e che si trovano attualmente nel territorio sotto l'AMG.

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David C. Sachs

for W.H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

Tel. 478828

13 June 1945

REF. : LSC/1002

SUBJECT: Cigarette Paper Manifacture.

TO : Industry Sub-Commission.

1. With reference to your minute of 18th May 1945, regarding the production of cigarette paper at the Cartiera Meridionale, Isola del Liri factory.

2. Representation has been made to the Italian Ministry of Industry, Commerce & Labour - and through that Ministry to the Confederazione Generale Italiana del Lavoro with the result that information has not been received that the factory in question will commence production on 20th June 1945.

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W.H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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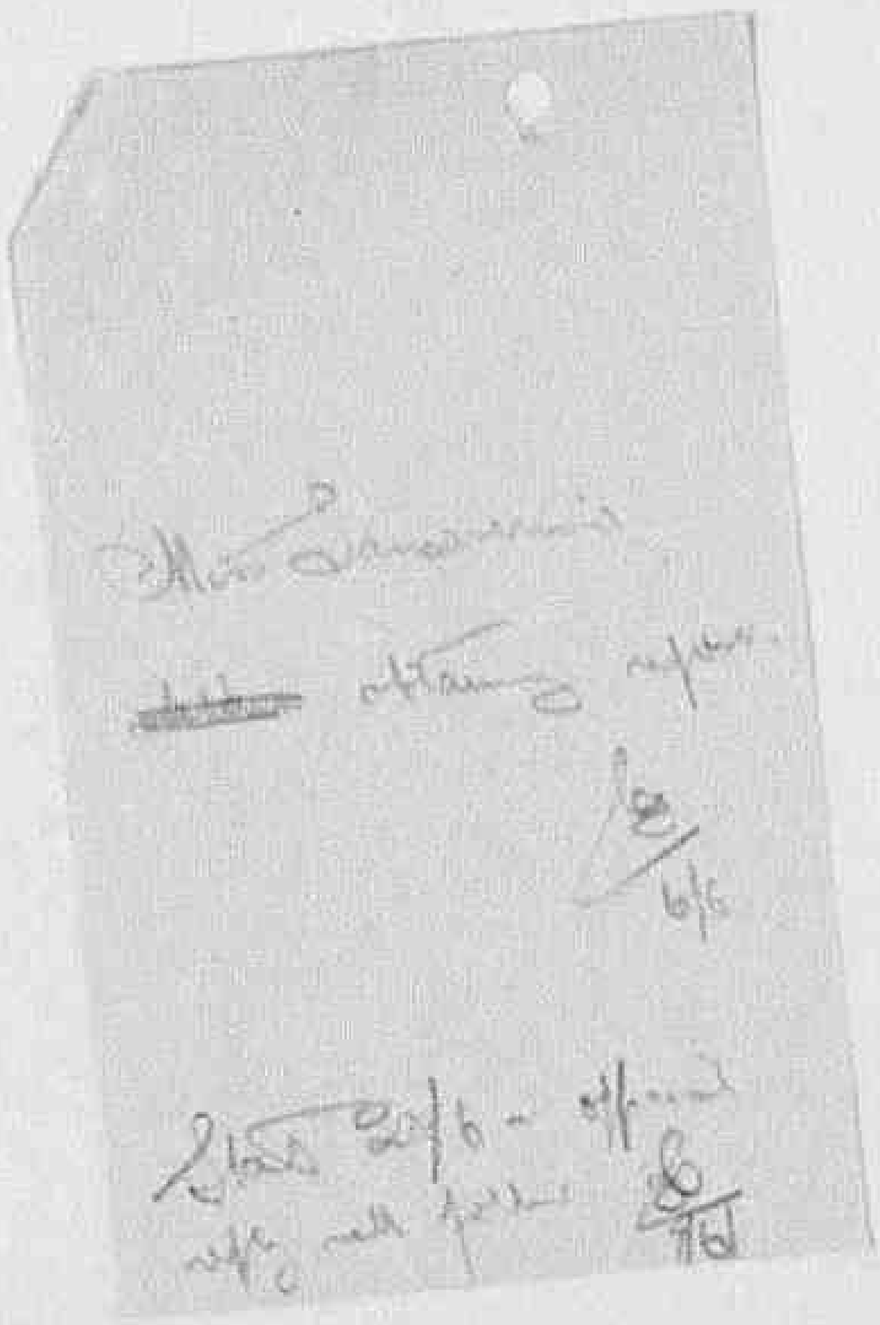

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APO 194
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel. 489081 - Ext. 204

REF. : LSC/1902

21 May 1945

SUBJECT : Cigarette Paper Manufacture.

TO : Industry Sub-Commission.

1. With reference to your minute (AC/5622/IND) of 18th May 1945 regarding the reactivation of the cigarette paper manufacturing plant of the Cartiera Meridionale, Isola del Liri.

2. Representation have been made to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour, and through them to the Confederazione Generale del Lavoro with a view to ensuring that every effort is made to obviate further labour difficulties.

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W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel.478828 - Ext.204
Roma, 21 maggio 1945

REF. : LSC/1

OGGETTO: Fabbricazione di carta da sigarette.

A : Ministero dell'Industria, del Commercio e del Lavoro

1. È senza dubbio a Vostra conoscenza come la produzione di sigarette - tanto per l'Esercito Italiano quanto per la popolazione - si trovi in una situazione difficile e come la Commissione Alleata abbia in passato devoluto considerevoli sforzi per riattivare le fabbriche di sigarette.

2. Si richiederebbe il Vostro intervento nei riguardi della riattivazione della Fabbrica Cartiera Meridionale "Isola del Liri"; la quale potrebbe produrre una notevole quantità di carta da sigarette. Durante una nostra recente conversazione con quel Direttore, sono apparse le serie difficoltà da lui incontrate a causa della scarsità di ore lavorative giornaliere, di scioperi, festività, eccetera.

3. Nella prospettiva che detta Fabbrica riprenda il lavoro il 1° giugno 1945, vi ne sarebbe la possibilità qualora prevalesse la normalità del lavoro. Ma, in vista delle riferite difficoltà, ciò si presenta improbo.

4. Sarebbe apprezzato, pertanto, se codesto Ministero - d'accordo con la Confederazione Generale Italiana del Lavoro - disponesse in modo da render possibile la ripresa d'una normale attività oraria non solo, ma anche - ove occorresse - l'istituzione di lavoro straordinario e notturno.

5. Questa Sotto-Commissione gradirebbe qualche informazione circa l'esito del Vostro intervento.

W.H.BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
INDUSTRY SUB-COMMISSION

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18 May 45

Tel. 396

Ref. AC/5622/IND

SUBJECT : Cigarette Paper Manufacture

TO : Labour Sub-Commission

1. The situation for the manufacture of cigarettes for the Italian troops and Italian populace is in a very critical state and is one which is being considered by AFHQ on high levels.

2. Supplies have previously been forthcoming from overseas, but no further supplies can be expected until October although stocks available will only cover requirements until early June.

3. This Sub-Commission consequently has for sometime past been devoting considerable energy to the reactivation of plants for this purpose and your intervention is requested in the case of the Cartiera Meridionale, Isola del Liri.

4. This factory can produce 15 Qls of cigarette paper per day which in turn would mean a monthly production of 750.000.000 cigarettes. During the course of an interview with the Director in our effort to speed up the commencement of production, it is gathered that he is having considerable labour troubles owing to the shortage of hours that are worked, strikes, holidays, etc.

5. It is essential that this plant comes into operation 1 June 45. which would be possible with normal working, although at the present owing to labour troubles it is extremely doubtful. Could this be taken up with the Ministry and through them with the Confederazione Generale del Lavoro, to ensure that full working hours are put in and if necessary overtime and night work is arranged for.

6. The Italian State Monopoly Trades are dependent upon this production.

for W. J. MASKREY
Lt. Col.
Acting Director,
Industry Sub-Commission.

cc. Economic Section.

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APO 234
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

REF

TEL : Ext. 504 11 June 1945

REF : LSC/209/1002

SUBJECT: U.L.B. 25 April 1945, n. 148

TO : Chief Staff Officer to
Executive Commissioner

1. This is in reply to your memorandum of 8 June, reference the above subject, requesting information on action, if any, with regard to a letter under date of 28 May from the President of the Council of Ministers (Ref. 1643K/1003.9/1.2.1 of 27 May).

2. The correspondence in question was referred by the Romanie Section to this Sub-Commission on 1 June. Inasmuch as the Legal Sub-Commission had analysed the letter from the Prime Minister, in which analysis this Sub-Commission concurred, the correspondence was filed as requested.

3. There appears to be no action that can be taken at this time on the subject, and it is suggested that the file be closed. All correspondence and the "Routing and Work Sheet" are returned herewith.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

Attachments (3)

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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RIF. : LSC/1002-1105 Roma, 6 giugno 1945

OGGETTO: Dott. Mario Quintieri.
Segnalazione per la regione lombarda.

AL : Ministero dell'Industria, Commercio e Lavoro.

In risposta alla vostra lettera del 26 maggio 1945 con la quale viene segnalata l'aspirazione del Dott. Mario Quintieri, funzionario dell'Ufficio Provinciale del Lavoro di Roma, alla nomina di direttore di un Ufficio Provinciale della Lombardia;

vi comunichiamo che abbiamo trasmesso la vostra segnalazione al nostro Commissario regionale per la Lombardia, il quale terrà l'aspirazione del Dottor Quintieri in tutta la possibile considerazione.

JOSEPH DI FEDE
Labour Relations Adviser
Labour Sub-Commission

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LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel. Negozi - 394

6 giugno 1945

Ref. No. L&C/1002

OGGETTO: Concessione di permessi per l'Italia del Nord

ALLA : Associazione Nazionale Mutilati e Invalidi del Lavoro
Piazza Adriana 2 - Roma

In risposta alla vostra lettera del 18 maggio 1945 (n. 1971), con la quale erano richiesti permessi per vostri funzionari che dovevano recarsi al nord, vi comunichiamo che, come del resto sarete gia' informati, la cosa non e' piu' di nostra competenza.

JOSEPH DI PESA
Labour Relations Adviser

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LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Ref. No. 45C/1002

6 giugno 1945

OGGETTO: Concessione di permessi per l'Italia del Nord

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Piazza Adriana 2 - Roma

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JOSEPH H FEDE
Labour Relations Adviser

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ASSOCIAZIONE NAZIONALE
MUTILATI E INVALIDI DEL LAVORO

ROMA, 18 maggio, 945

Piazza Adriana, 2

Protocollo N. 1581
Risposta al foglio del
N. di Prot.
Allegati N.

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione per il Lavoro

R O M A
via Veneto Palazzo ex Corporazioni

OGGETTO

Autorizzazione a recarsi nel Nord Italia ed un funzionario dell'Associazione Naz.le Mutilati ed Invalidi del Lavoro.-

Questa Associazione Naz.le ,costituita in Ente Morale con D.L.L. n.45 del 14 aprile c.a.,ha grande interesse che un proprio funzionario si rechi con ogni possibile urgenza nell'Italia del Nord e precisamente a Venezia,- onde cercare di recuperare le somme già sottratte al Nord nonché quelle- il di cui ammontare non può essere precisato,ma che si presume assai notevole- che lo pseudo Governo repubblicano del Nord risulta aver concesso ai dirigenti squadristi di questa Associazione che si trasferirono a suo tempo nell'Alta Italia nell'intento di trasportare colà la Sede dell'Associazione stessa.-

Ciò onde evitare che somme destinate a lenire le condizioni di estrema necessità in cui versano attualmente i mutilati e gli invalidi del Lavoro in tutta Italia,possano eventualmente venire sottratte dagli attuali detentori o comunque distratte per altri scopi che non sono quelli previsti dallo statuto dell'Ente.-

Prego pertanto codesta Commissione di voler cortesemente esaminare l'opportunità che il Sottoscritto unitamente al Segretario generale di questa Associazione ,grande Invalido del Lavoro Dr Alberto Mario Piccioni vengano autorizzati a recarsi al più

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ad un funzionario dell'Associazione Naz.le
Mutilati ed Invalidi del Lavoro.-

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Si uniscono le generalità degli interessati,con gli estremi dei documenti di riconoscimento.-

IL COMMISSARIO
(Sgueo E.)

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Grande Invalido del Lavoro Enrico Squeo di Vincenzo e di Benevento Maria-Antonia nato a Calciano(Matera) il 22-1-1902-
Tessera Associazione Naz.le Mut. ed Invalidi del Lavoro n.4 in data 11-12-44

Grande Invalido del Lavoro dr.Alberto Mario Piccioni di Paride e di Lagli Annunziata nato a Numana(Ancona) 10-4-1905.-
Tessera Associazione Naz.le Mut. ed Invalidi del Lavoro n.77 in data 16-12 -44

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Rome, June 5 - 1945

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

GENERAL DIRECTION OF SOCIAL SECURITY AND PRIVATE INSURANCES

Prot. 1670 - Enclosures N° 40

SUBJECT: Sending of a circular to the Prefectures

TO : the ALLIED COMMISSION
Labour Sub-Commission

and for information

the FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION
Social Insurance Section

ROME

By the enclosed circular, this Ministry has provided to bring to the notice of the Prefectures of the Realm, to the Finance Surveyorship service and to all other interested bodies that by a decree = the drawing up of which is already under way = the validity of the convention stipulated on the basis of the unique article of the Royal Decree Law of 28 November 1938, N°2138 is to be adjourned. By virtue of this R.D.L., the State collector's offices are under obligation to consider as already paid, and accordingly to transfer to the respective State administration, the amount of social insurance and assistance contributions.

By the same circular, the Prefectures have been invited to direct the collectorship offices to consider in the meantime as valid the convention in question.

Therefore we are kindly asking this Labour Sub-Commission, to consider the advisability of bringing this circular to the notice of the competent authorities of those provinces, which have not been brought yet under the control of the Italian Government.

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for THE MINISTER
Enrico Paresce

Sent all the circulars to the Regional Labour Affairs in the North for distribution to the Prefect — on 6/6/45

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Ministero dell'Industria del Commercio e del Lavoro

Dir.gen.prev. e assic.priv.
Divisione 1ª *N. di prot.* 1670
Risposta a nota
Allegati 40 -

OGGETTO Invio circolare alle Prefetture -

Roma, li 5 GIU. 1945 194
LSC/1092

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocomissione al lavoro

e p.c.

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ALLE FINANZE
Sezione Assicurazioni sociali

= R O M A =

Questo Ministero ha provveduto con la circolare che si allega in copia, a comunicare alle Prefetture del Regno, alle Intendenze di Finanza ed agli uffici interessati che, con provvedimento in corso di emanazione, viene prorogata la validità della convenzione stipulata in base all'articolo unico del R.decreto legge 28 novembre 1938,n°2138,con la quale si estende l'obbligo del non riscosso per riscosso alla esazione dei contributi previdenziali ed assistenziali.

Con la stessa circolare vengono altresì invitate le Prefetture ad interessare gli organi della riscossione perchè nel frattempo vogliano considerare come vigente la convenzione stes-

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Si prega, quindi, codesta Commissione di voler esaminare la opportunità di portare la suddetta circolare a conoscenza di quelle provincie che non sono state ancora restituite all'amministrazione del Governo italiano.

IL MINISTRO

Ministero delle Corporazioni

DIREZIONE GENERALE PREVIDENZA E ASSICURAZIONI SOCIALI
E LAVORO - Div. Gen. Prev. e Ass. Priv.

CIRCOLARE

Prot. N. 1214

Roma addì 3 MAGGIO 1945 Anno

OGGETTO Riscossione ruoli contributi unificati in agricoltura. Proroga convenzione 10 febbraio 1943.

ALLE LL. EE. I PREFETTI DEL REGNO

E, P.C., ALLE LL. EE. I PREFETTI DI TRIESTE

ALL'ALTO COMMISSARIO PER LA SICILIA
- PALERMO -

ALL'ALTO COMMISSARIO PER LA SARDEGNA
- CAGLIARI -

AL SERVIZIO PER GLI ENTI COLLATERALI DELLE CORPORAZIONI
- ROMA -

Come noto, con il 31 dicembre 1944 è scaduta la convenzione 10 febbraio 1943 stipulata a norma dell'articolo unico del R.D. 27 novembre 1933, n° 1930, con la quale era stato esteso l'obbligo del non riscosso per riscosso ai contributi associativi e previdenziali compresi nei ruoli dei contributi unificati in agricoltura.

Poichè è in corso di emanazione un provvedimento legislativo che proroga la validità della citata convenzione, si prega di interessare le Sezioni e Ricevitori delle Poste affinchè con la scadenza della prossima rata di aprile i versamenti dei ruoli riscossi per la riscossione vengano effettuati secondo le norme contenute nella convenzione stessa, comprendendovi anche le differenze eventualmente non versate sul conto degli 8/10 e 2/10 della prima rata, al fine di evitare inutili ed onerosi carteggi fra le singole Sezioni e gli Istituti preposti alla erogazione delle prestazioni a favore dei lavoratori agricoli.

P. C. C.

L'ISPETTORE GENERALE REGGENTE

IL MINISTRO
GROCATI

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Section 3.3/NRD No. 785021

Com'è noto, con il 31 dicembre 1944 è scaduta la convenzione 10 febbraio 1943 stipulata ai sensi dell'articolo unico del R.D.L. 20 novembre 1933, n° 1730, con la quale era stato assunto l'obbligo del non riscosso per riscossi dei contributi sociali e previdenziali compresi nei ruoli dei contributi unificati in agricoltura.

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IL MINISTRO
GROCCHI

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Archivio Centrale dello Stato
Fondo Ministero del Lavoro e della Previdenza Sociale
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Ministero delle Corporazioni

DIREZIONE GENERALE DELLA PREVIDENZA E LAVORO - Divisione Gen. Prev. e Ass. Priv.

CIRCOLARE

Prot. N. 1214

Roma, addì 3 MAGGIO *1945* Anno

ALLE LL. EE. I PREFETTI DEL REGNO

ALL'ALTO COMMISSARIO PER LA SICILIA

- P A L E R M O -

ALL'ALTO COMMISSARIO PER LA SARDEGNA

- CAGLIARI -

AL DIRETTORE DEGLI UFFICI PROVINCIALI DEI LAVORATORI E PER I DOMINI UNIFICATI DI AGRICOLTURA.

= R O M A =

OGGETTO Riscossione quoli contributivi sui redditi agricoli. Proroga convenzione 10 febbraio 1943.

Com'è noto, con il 31 dicembre 1944 è scaduta la convenzione 10 febbraio 1943 stipulata a norma dell'articolo unico del R.D.27 novembre 1933, n° 2130, con la quale era stato esteso l'obbligo del non riscosso per riscosso ai contributi assistenziali e previdenziali compresi nei ruoli dei contributi unificati in agricoltura.

Poichè è in corso di emanazione un provvedimento legislativo che proroga la validità della citata convenzione e, al fine di interessare gli Esattori e Ricevitori delle Imposte affinchè con la scadenza della prossima rata di aprile i versamenti dei ruoli riscossi per la riscossione vengano effettuati secondo le norme contenute nella convenzione stessa, comprendendovi anche le differenze eventualmente non versate sul carico degli 8/10 e 2/10 della prima rata, al fine di evitare i ritardi che normalmente si verificano nel funzionamento degli Istituti preposti alla erogazione delle prestazioni a favore dei lavoratori agricoli.

IL MINISTRO

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Proroga convenzione 10 febbraio 1943. = R O M A =

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IL MINISTRO
GROCCHI

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L'ISPETTORE GENERALE REGGENTE

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

GENERAL DIRECTION OF SOCIAL SECURITY AND PRIVATE INSURANCES

Prot. 1671 - Enclosures N° 40

Rome, June 5 - 1945

SUBJECT: Forwarding of Circular N° 1131 of 27.4.45=

TO : the ALLIED COMMISSION
Labour Sub-Commission

and for information:

the FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION
Social Insurance Section
ROME

As it is well known to the Labour Sub-Commission, our Ministry by a circular N° 750 bis dated 5 December 1944, sent an invitation to the Prefects of the Realm, with the object of causing them to appoint the Provincial Boards for levying the unified taxation in agriculture.

Inasmuch as there are a good many Prefectures which have failed to notify that the said Boards have been established in their provinces, as requested, this Ministry by sending out enclosed circular N° 1131 of 27 April 1945, is reiterating to the Prefectures an invitation to take an action at once on the matter.

Therefore we kindly ask this Commission to consider whether it would be advisable to bring the contents of this circular to the notice of the competent authorities of those provinces, which have not been placed again under the control of the Italian Government.

for THE MINISTER
Enrico Paresce

Sent various copies to Each Regional Labo Officers for dispatch to the Prefects - on 6/6/45

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Ministero dell'Industria del Commercio e del Lavoro
Direz. Gen. Prev. e Ass. Priv.
Ref. N° 1071 Allegati NO

Roma, 5 GIU. 1945

Oggetto: Invio Circolare n.II3I del 27/4/45-

→ LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione al Lavor

e per conoscenza
ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ALLE FINANZE SEZIONE ASSIC.SOC.
ROMA

Com'é noto a codesta Commissione, questo Ministero, con circolare 730 bis del 5 dicembre 944, aveva interessato i Prefetti del Regno perché provvedessero alla nomina delle Commissioni provinciali per la riscossione del contributo unificati in agricolture.

Poichè non tutte le Prefetture hanno dato comunicazione dell'avvenuta costituzione delle predette Commissioni, questo Ministero, con l'unita circolare n.II3I del 27 aprile 945, rinnova l'invito a provvedere subito al riguardo.

Si prega, quindi, codesta Commissione di voler esaminare l'opportunità di portare la suddetta circolare a conoscenza anche di quelle Provincie che

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p. IL MINISTRO

Emilio Taviani

Roma addì 27 aprile 1945

Ministero [illegible]
COMMERCIO E LAVORO
Dir.Gen.Prev. e Ass.Private

Pos. N. 1131 Div.I°

= Al l'ALTO COM'ISSARIO PER LA SICILIA. PALERMO

= All'ALTO COM'ISSARIO PER LA SARDEGNA CAGLIARI

= A TUTTI I PREFETTI DEL REGNO

Oggetto: Contributi agricoli unificati.-

Questo Ministero, con circolare n.730/bis del 5 dicembre 1944, aveva interessato le LL.EE. i Prefetti perchè provvedessero, senza indugio, alla nomina della Commissione provinciale di cui all'art.5 del R.D.24 settembre 1940, n.1949, in conformità delle prescrizioni del decreto legislative luogotenenziale 8 febbraio 1945, n.75, allora in corso.

Poichè non tutte le Prefetture hanno data comunicazione dell'avvenuta costituzione delle predette Commissioni, si rinnova l'invito a provvedere subito al riguardo e a darne notizia a questo Ministero.

Inoltre, poichè soltanto in poche provincie le Commissioni di cui sopra hanno dato corso a quanto disposto con la circolare succitata relativamente all'esame della posizione contributiva locale ed alla adozione dei provvedimenti atti ad adeguare il gettito dei contributi agricoli unificati dell'anno 1945 alle somme da accreditare ai lavoratori agricoli sulla base degli elenchi nominativi, si rappresenta di nuovo la necessità di addivenire sollecitamente a quanto, a tale riguardo, precedentemente disposto.

Si conferma, con l'occasione, che gli Uffici debbano fare ogni sforzo per il perfezionamento sia dei ruoli di contribuzione che degli elenchi nominativi dei lavoratori, al fine di eliminare ogni divario tra il gettito dei contributi agricoli unificati e l'ammontare degli accreditamenti calcolati sulla base degli elenchi nominativi.

L'adozione dei provvedimenti atti a normalizzare la posizione contributiva delle singole provincie, riveste, inoltre, carattere di particolare urgenza, in quanto sulla base delle determinazioni della

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L'adozione dei provvedimenti atti a normalizzare la posizione contributiva delle singole provincie, riveste, inoltre, carattere di particolare urgenza, in quanto sulla base delle determinazioni della Commissione provinciale di cui all'art.5, gli Uffici provinciali del Servizio per gli elenchi nominativi dei lavoratori e per i contributi unificati in agricoltura, dovranno dar corso alla formazione dei ruoli suppletivi per l'anno 1945 da porre in esazione con la rata di agosto p.v., in modo da assicurare agli Enti assicurativi ed assistenziali la tempestiva riscossione di tutte le somme necessarie per l'adempimento delle funzioni assistenziali e previdenziali, ad essi demandate.

Si prega le LL.SS. di dare assicurazione di pronto adempimento di quanto disposto con la circolare n° 730/bis e raccomandato con la presente.

p. IL MINISTRO
PARESCE

p.c.c.
L'ISPETTORE GENERALE REGGENTE

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Fondo 2356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785021

Ministero dell'INDUSTRIA
COMMERCIO E LAVORO
Dir.Gen.Prev. e Ass.Private

Prot. N. 1131 Div.I°

Roma addì 27 aprile 1945

= All'ALTO COMMISSARIO PER LA SICILIA PALERMO

= All'ALTO COMMISSARIO PER LA SARDEGNA CAGLIARI

= A TUTTI I PREFETTI DEL REGNO

OGGETTO: Contributi agricoli unificati.-

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L'adozione dei provvedimenti atti a normalizzare la posizione contributiva delle singole provincie, riveste, inoltre, carattere di particolare urgenza, in quanto sulla base delle determinazioni della Commissione provinciale di cui all'art.5, gli Uffici provinciali del Servizio per gli elenchi nominativi dei lavoratori e per i contributi

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p. IL MINISTRO
PARESCE

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

YF/gm

Tel. 489081 - Ext. 204

RIF. : L30/515 5 Giugno 1945

OGGETTO : Cantieri Navali di Castellammare.

AL : Ministero dell'Industria, Commercio e Lavoro.

1. Con riferimento alle vostre lettere del 13 aprile e del 19 maggio 1945, Prot. N. 2231/I/50/15 ci è stato comunicato dalla Sotto-Commissioni dei Trasporti e della Navigazione, presso la Commissione Alleata, che i cantieri per riparazioni navali di Castellammare hanno ripreso in pieno il lavoro e stanno procurando impiego al medesimo numero di personale.

2. In conseguenza è poco probabile - almeno per un considerevole periodo di tempo - che si presenti il problema di un'eccedenza di mano d'opera da occupare.

W. H. HAINES
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

FP/pm

Tel. 489081 - Ext. 204

REF. : (LSC/1002) 1005

14 May 1945

SOGGETTO: Reclutamento mano d'opera civile per Malta.

AL : Sottosegretario Ministero Industria, Commercio e Lavoro.

R O M A

In relazione alle trattative riguardanti il reclutamento di mano d'opera civile per l'Isola di Malta, come da Vs. lettera 1129 del 2 Maggio 1945, si rende noto che il reclutamento stesso non è più necessario e pertanto ogni trattativa al riguardo si considera esaurita.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

Tel.: 478828

REF. : LEC/1052 27 May 1945

OGGETTO : Ricostruzione e alloggi nella Gran Bretagna.

AL : Sig. Bacchi Andreoli Silvio
Comitato Inter-Ministeriale per la Ricostruzione.
Ministero dei Lavori Pubblici. Roma

Con riferimento alla vostra recente richiesta telefonica, mi è grato inviarvi corim delle sotto elencate pubblicazioni:

1. Housing Manual for 1944
2. Housing. The magnitude of the problem.
3. Local government during period of reconstruction.
4. Educational Reconstruction.

Se codesto Comitato avesse interesse a ricevere altresì qualcuna delle pubblicazioni specificate nel retro della copertina dell'"Housing Manual for 1944", sarei ben lieto di farvi procurare un esemplare degli opuscoli prescelti, ove vorreste indicarmene i rispettivi titoli.

W. H. BEAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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British Embassy,
ROME.

Dear Proctor,

With reference to your telephone call yesterday afternoon, I enclose four H.M.S.O. publications on reconstruction in England.

Two deal with the question of housing. These are all that we have in our library. If, however, you think that the Italian Inter-Ministerial Committee for Reconstruction would be interested in receiving any of the publications listed on the back page cover of the Housing Manual for 1944, I should be very glad to write to the Ministry of Information and ask them to send copies.

Yours sincerely,
Michael Stewart

Michael Stewart.
Press Attaché.

W. Proctor, Esq.,
Labour Sub-Commission,
A.C., ROME.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

Rome, 22 May 1945

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. BRAINE

An enquiry has been received from Mr.Bacchi Andreoli Silvio of the Italian Interministerial Committee for Reconstruction, Ministry of Public Works regarding the policy and program of the British Government in relation to reconstruction work in Great Britain,with particular reference to housing.

Col. Thompson, Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission states that he is not in a position to furnish any up to date information and it is suggested that the best way to approach the matter, would be to request the Embassy, to obtain the necessary data etc from the British Ministry of Works.

F.PROCTOR
Labour Sub-Commission

Ask Press Attaché (Michael Stewart) if he knows if he has any White papers &c.

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Mr. BACCHI ANDREOLI SILVIO.

INTERMINISTERIAL COMMITTEE FOR RECONSTRUCTION.

MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Move =
for Mr Sec.

ex Olympia, 32nd,
Public Utilities Section
Room 1000

No action taken

Action required

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ENGINEER SECTION (BR)
A.P.M.G.
C.M.F.
Tel : FREEWOOD 7

210/1002

Subject : S.A. C.M.I. CASTELLAMMARE DI STABIA — DEPS/4411

To : H.Q. A.C. Industry Sub-Commission. — 23 May 45

Ref your AC/5615/16/IND of 16 May 45.

1. The policy of this Directorate in so far as steel fabrication and machine shops is concerned is to concentrate production at No 1 Workshop 80 EBW (CMI CASTELLAMMARE) And release other shops for civilian work.

2. In view of the above no date has been set for the handover of CMI to its owners.

3. It is considered in view of past experience with this firm that partial release of the premises would be most unsatisfactory.

4. In order to facilitate a handover to civilian control negotiations are at present taking place with the owners. They are to be allowed to set up a skeleton organisation which will have access to the works and will therefore be capable of taking control when the drop in service demands can permit the works to be released.

5. As soon as it is possible to undertake repairs to railway rolling stock this Directorate will notify all concerned and will make the necessary arrangements to enable any available capacity to be utilised on this work.

J.W.J. MACKENZIE,
Major R.E.
for Brigadier,
Director of Engineer Stores.

JWJM/SE

Copy to :- M.C.R.E.
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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION
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Mr. W.H. [illegible]		
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Mr. DI FEDE		
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Mr. PRIGTOR		
Mr. STEVENSON		
Chief Clerk		

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel.478828 - Ext.204
Roma, 21 maggio 1945

RIF. : LSC/1 /el

OGGETTO: Fabbricazione di carta da sigarette.

A : Ministero dell'Industria, del Commercio e del Lavoro

1. È senza dubbio a Vostra conoscenza come la produzione di sigarette - tanto per l'Esercito Italiano quanto per la popolazione - si trovi in una situazione difficile e come la Commissione Alleata abbia in passato devoluto considerevoli sforzi per riattivare le fabbriche di sigarette.

2. Si richiederebbe il Vostro intervento nei riguardi della riattivazione della Fabbrica Cartiere Meridionale "Isola del Liri"; la quale potrebbe produrre una notevole quantità di carta da sigarette. Durante una nostra recente conversazione con quel Direttore, sono apparse le serie difficoltà da lui incontrate a causa della scarsità di ore lavorative giornaliere, di scioperi, festività, eccetera.

3. Nella prospettiva che detta Fabbrica riprenda il lavoro il 1° giugno 1945, ve ne sarebbe la possibilità qualora prevalesse la normalità del lavoro. Ma, in vista delle riferite difficoltà, ciò si presenta incerto.

4. Sarebbe apprezzato, pertanto, se codesto Ministero - d'accordo con la Confederazione Generale Italiana del Lavoro - disponesse in modo da render possibile la ripresa d'una normale attività oraria non solo, ma anche - ove occorresse - l'istituzione di lavoro straordinario e notturno.

6. Questa Sotto-Commissione gradirebbe qualche informazione circa l'esito del Vostro intervento.

W.H.BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

FP/pm

Tel. 489081 - Ext. 204

21 May 1945

REF. : L30/1002

SUBJECT : Cigarette Paper Manufacture.

TO : Industry Sub-Commission.

1. With reference to your minute (AC/5622/IND) of 18th May 1945 regarding the reactivation of the cigarette paper manufacturing plant of the Cartiere Meridionale, Isola del Liri.

2. Representation have been made to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour, and through them to the Confederazione Generale del Lavoro with a view to ensuring that every effort is made to obviate further labour difficulties.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
INDUSTRY SUB-COMMISSION

AC/1002

NRLA/SAMP

20 May 1945

Tel. 387

Ref. AC/3613/12/ISD.

SUBJECT : Applications for De-requisitioning of Industrial Premises.

TO : H.E. G. Cruechi,
Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

1. Your Excellency's attention is drawn to the fact that a certain lack of co-ordination appears to exist between the originating official and addressees of letters exchanged between your Ministry and this Headquarters on the above subject.

2. The painstaking work of the officials of your Ministry in preparing cases for de-requisitioning is appreciated, but it would appear that the copies of correspondence despatched by this Headquarters on de-requisitioning cases are not always brought to the attention of the officials who prepare these cases.

3. Your Ministry's 2570 of 16th May 1945 requesting de-requisitioning of Arrigoni food-processing plants is a case in point.

4. The factories at Cesena, Cattolica and Sesto Fiorentino were de-requisitioned and a letter addressed to your Ministry apprising them of the fact on 4th May 1945 (Note date of your Ministry's application: 16 May 1945)

5. There have been several instances of this nature and it is suggested that much correspondence might be avoided if this Headquarters' correspondence with your Ministry could be circulated for the attention of all officials concerned.

W. J. MACKREY
Lt. Colonel,
Acting Director,
Industry Sub-Commission.

Copy to :
AFHQ, G-5 Section.
AFHQ, G-4 Section (A).
AFHQ, G-4 Section (B).
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Economic Section, AC (Attn.: Brig.D.L. Anderson)
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Labour Sub-Commission, AC.
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Mr. AIREY		
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Mr. PROCTOR		27/5.
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Chief Clerk		

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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RIF. : LSC/1002 19 maggio 1945

OGGETTO : Gabinetto dentistico già appartenente alla G.I.L. di Perugia.

AL : Ministero dell'Industria, Commercio e Lavoro.
Direzione Generale della Previdenza Sociale.

1. In risposta alla vostra lettera del 26 aprile 1945 n. 45, XXI, relativa alla richiesta dell'Istituto Assistenza Malattie di assumere in uso un gabinetto dentistico già appartenente alla G.I.L. di Perugia;

2. Vi comunichiamo che la questione riguarda ora esclusivamente il Governo Italiano, dato che la provincia di Perugia è nel frattempo ritornata sotto la giurisdizione del medesimo.

JOSEPH DI FEDE
Labour Relations Adviser
Labour Sub-Commission.

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

General Direction of Social Security and Private Assurances

Prot. N° 45 XII — Rome, 26 April 1945

TO: The Allied Commission
Labour Sub-Commission
Section of Social Assurance
Rome

SUBJECT : Odontological laboratory formerly belonging to the G.I.L. of Perugia

The "Istituto Nazionale di Assistenza Malattia ai Lavoratori" (National Institute for workers assistance in case of illness), on informing this Ministry that it was invited by the Labour Office of Perugia, to take up for its own use a local odontological laboratory, formerly belonging to the fascist organization of the G.I.L., has asked for the necessary ratification of this Ministry.

As by granting such a request, it would be possible to secure a wider and more profitable assistance to all the insured of that town, our Ministry has no objection to raise against the said request.

Therefore we would like to know whether there is any objection on the part of the Allied Commission to our granting the request in question.

E.PARESCE
for the Minister

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Ministero dell'Industria,
del Commercio e del Lavoro
Direz.Gen.Prev.e Ass.Priv.

Roma 28 APR 1945 XX

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sezione Assicurazioni Sociali
=ROMA=

Prot. N.° 45 · XII Allegati

Risposta all'f. N.° 450/1002 del

OGGETTO Gabinetto dentistico già appartenente alla G.I.L. di Perugia.

L'Istituto Nazionale di Assistenza Malattia ai Lavoratori, nel far presente di aver ricevuto l'invito da parte dell'Ufficio Provinciale del Lavoro di Perugia di assumere in uso il locale Gabinetto dentistico, già appartenente alla ex Organizzazione fascista G.I.L., ha chiesto la necessaria ratifica da parte di questo Ministero.

L'accoglimento di tale proposta consentirebbe una più larga e proficua assistenza ai mutuati del posto, per cui questo Ministero nulla avrebbe da obiettare in merito.

Si gradirebbe pertanto conoscere se anche da parte di codesta A.C. nulla osti all'accoglimento della proposta in parola.

IL MINISTRO
Buozzo

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DI VIRG./CL.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION DCS/ec

REF : L30/1.02 13 May 1945

SUBJECT: Handover of Territory to the Italian Government

TO : Economic Section,
Attention Col. Demmers.

This sub-Commission has no objection to the draft L.31/[illegible] of 14 May, reference above subject.

DAVID C. SACHS
Deputy Director
Labour Sub-Commission

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IMMEDIATE ACTION

INTER OFFICE MEMORANDUM

ECONOMIC SECTION

1.31/ES

9/5 E/CA

14 May 1945

SUBJECT: Handover of Territory to the Italian Government

TO : Production Division and All Sub-Commissions.

1. Attached is copy of draft of proposed letter, Ref 9/5 E/CA Hq, Aleom to C-S, AFHQ above subject.

2. Brigadier General N. B. McKinley, Acting Vice President, Economic Section, requests that your concurrence, comments, objections and/or recommendations be in the hands of Executive Director, Economic Section not later than 1800 hours, Tuesday 15 May.

for

L. D. [redacted]
Colonel, F. A.
Executive Director
Economic Section

Incl. n/c

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Chief Commissioner

Ref: 9/5 B/CA. May 1945

SUBJECT: Handover of Territory to the Italian Government.

TO : AFHQ, G-5 Section.

1. I and my advisors are of the opinion that consideration should now be given to a further restoration of territory to the jurisdiction of the Italian Government at an early date.

2. Such restoration is desirable for three reasons:

(a) In order to release more personnel for the north where they are so badly needed.

(b) In order to show continued confidence in the ability of the Italian Government to manage their own affairs and pave the way towards full restoration of all territory.

(c) The team of the Regional Commissioner Toscana is, as a result of the more urgent demands of other areas, so much reduced in numbers that it is desirable to restore the remainder of the Region to the Government as soon as possible.

3. My proposal for the consideration of the Supreme Allied Commander is, therefore, as follows: 6136

To hand over the Provinces of FIRENZE? PISA, LIVORNO, PISTOIA and LUCCA in the Compartimento of TOSCANA, and the Provinces of FORLI and RAVENNA in the compartimento of EMILIA. I am satisfied that from an administrative and economic point of view these provinces are in a fit and proper state to be handed over.

4. Due consideration must be paid to military demands in Livorno and my [illegible] that it will be necessary to retain the Commune under AMG

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4. Due consideration must be paid to military demands in Livorno and my advisors consider that it will be necessary to retain the Commune under AMG control. It may also be desirable to retain more than the Commune itself and I suggest that the AMG boundary include the minimum necessary to PBS.

Any decision regarding FORLI and RAVENNA* must be affected by the exact area in which the disbanded German Army is situated.

*Views of HC Emilia have not yet been received.

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5. I do not consider that any notice need to be taken of the fact that a few Communes in the north of both LUCCA and PISTOIA Provinces have only recently been liberated. In both the Provincial administration has been in being for some considerable time and they are administratively ready to be handed over.

6. In the event of the Supreme Allied Commander signifying his agreement to these proposals I will arrange for the Province of APUANIA to be administered from LIGURIA. Thus TOSCANA Region could be dissolved.

7. Finally, I recommended that a suitable date for the transfer would be 4 June 45 which is the anniversary of the liberation of ROME.

KILMER H. STONE,
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

cc: Exec. Comm.
Econ Sec.
Toscana Region

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By NARS, Date 12-18-75
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AFO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

Ref: L.33/1.02 - 1105 7 May 1945

SUBJECT: Establishment and Staffing of Labour Offices.

TO : M.S. Giovanni Cronchi,
Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

1. With respect to the functions of the Labour Offices as outlined by you, we wish to make the following comments:

(a) Point number one in your letter which provides for the registration of Trade Unions, their supervision and their tutelage may be subject to misrepresentation by those who believe that Trade Unions should be free organizations of Labour.

(b) Point number two which provides for the intervention of the Labour Office, as a technical agency, in the formulation of collective agreements might lead some people to believe that such intervention will be as a matter of right or of law. Many people believe that such intervention should be on the basis of a request by both contracting parties and that employers and employees should be allowed to negotiate freely.

(c) Point number three needs some clarification. It is not clear whether the registration of employees, employers, proprietors and professional men shall be for the placing of manpower in times of emergency, such as war or national reconstruction, whether it shall be for the purpose of establishing the number of employed and unemployed, or whether it shall be compulsory.

(d) The other points in your statement of functions are very clear and need no comment from us.

2. We suggest for your consideration the following functions which Labour Offices may fruitfully perform:

(a) To promote the welfare of wage-earning women and children, improve their working conditions, increase their efficiency, and advance their opportunities for gainful employment.

(b) To supervise and assist in such migration and other movement of workers as may be necessary and to exercise such manpower controls as may be determined by the Italian law.

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(c) To establish and develop conciliation and mediation services.

3. We shall be happy to meet with you to discuss any of these points if you should so desire.

Yours faithfully,

for W. M. WHITE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
A.C.S. 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

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REF : LSC/1002

30 April 1945

SUBJECT: Establishment and Staffing of Labour Offices.

TO : Brigadier Anderson

1. I enclose a draft of a letter addressed to the Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour stating the comments of this Sub-Commission upon a statement of functions of Labour Offices submitted by the Ministry. Copies of this statement are herewith attached.

2. Considerable controversy has existed on these offices and there is still criticism of their usefulness. For this reason I should like to have agreement on the terms of the proposed reply.

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W. H. BLAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

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REF : LSC/1062

SUBJECT: Establishment and Staffing of Labour Offices. 28 April 1945

TO : H.E. Giovanni Gronchi,
Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

1. With respect to the functions of the Labour Offices as outlined by you, we wish to make the following comments:

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3. We shall be happy to meet with you to discuss any of these points if you should so desire.

W. H. HEAITS
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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FUNCTIONS OF LABOUR OFFICES

1. Registration of syndical organisations and performance of the connected duties of supervision and tutelage.

2. Intervention, in a capacity as technical agency, in the working out of collective labour agreements, and registration of the said agreements.

3. Census registration of all the persons belonging to the following categories: employees, employers, proprietors, professional men.

4. Placement of workers.

5. Settlement of labour controversies through conciliation and arbitration.

6. Drawing up of statistics and studies on wages, prices etc.

7. Secretariats of the Labour Councils to be soon established.

8. Social Assistance; to maintain connection with local offices of social security, insurance and assistance institutes.

9. Drawing up of the lists of agricultural workers entitled to receive social assistance and insurance benefits, and of the lists of people entitled to receive the unemployment subsidy.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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REF : Lab/1002

30 April 1945

SUBJECT: Establishment and Staffing of Labour Offices.

TO : Brigadier Jackson

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2. Considerable controversy has existed on these Offices and there is still criticism of their usefulness. For this reason I should like to have agreement on the terms of the proposed reply.

W. E. HEAING
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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ALLIED COMMISSION
AMG 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

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REF : LSC/1002

SUBJECT: Establishment and Staffing of Labour Offices. 28 April 1945

TO : H.E. Giovanni Grosehi,
Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

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W. H. MAUZE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
AND 334
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

REF : LSC/4002 28 April 1945

SUBJECT: Establishment and Staffing of Labour Offices

TO : H.E. Giovanni Croce Ahi,
Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

1. We are in accord with your suggestion as to the establishment and staffing of Labour Offices in the five northern Regions which will in the first instance be under Allied Military Government.

2. We have prepared and sent a circular to the Regional Commissioners on the subject of Labour Offices and have given them an organisational chart as suggested by you. These charts contain the number and grade of employees to be engaged in the various regional and provincial offices.

3. We have not included the salaries to be paid except that we have indicated the group and grade of the employees to be employed. Local salary standards will be applied to the personnel of the Labour Offices.

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Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
AFO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

AC/501/39/Tn3

28 April 1945

A.C. SHIPPING INSTRUCTION
No 11

Handling of Civilian Imported Supplies

1. This is a general instruction to outline the procedure by which Civil Imported Supplies will be received at all Italian Ports and accounted for to A.C. by the agents of the Italian Government, namely Federazione dei Consorzi Agrari in respect of food stuffs and Agricultural Supplies, Istituto per il Commercio Estero in respect of miscellaneous supplies except medical supplies and petroleum, and Ufficio Centrale Carboni in respect of coal cargoes.

2. As from 1 May 1945 the authorized organizations will accept their respective supplies at ship's rail at all ports in Italy and will give to AC Receiving Reports in respect of such supplies at ship's rail. Receiving Reports will be signed and stamped by accredited representatives of the organizations concerned, thereby acknowledging receipt of such supplies from A.C.

3. All supplies thus received by the Federazione, I.C.E. and U.C.C., will be treated by A.C. as issued to these organizations for account of the Italian Government.

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4. The Federazione and/or I.C.E and/or U.C.C. will deal promptly with all necessary ships documents in respect of supplies handled by them and exported from any port in Italy.

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6. In certain ports, supplies after having officially passed into possession of the authorized organizations may be transported in transportation outside their control. In the event of "loss in transit" occuring under such circumstances, such items will be shown in the accounts of the Federazione, I.C.E. and U.C.C. as "Loss in Transit" and the responsibility for such losses will be a matter for adjustment at a later date between Allied and Italian Treasuries.

For the Chief Commissioner :

M.J. Sheff Col.

M.J. SHEFF
Colonel,

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Transportation Sub-Commission

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28 April 1945

A.C. SHIPPING INSTRUCTION
No 11

Istruzioni per l'Amministrazione delle Merci Importate per il Consumo Civile.

1. Queste istruzione tende a sottolineare la procedura con la quale le merci importate per il consumo civile verranno ricevute nei porti Italiani e come per mezzo delle agenzie del Governo Italiano verrà data conferma del loro arrivo all'A.C., cioè: Federazione dei Consorzi Agrari per ciò che riguarda generi alimentari e forniture agricole, Istituto per il Commercio Estero per ciò che riguarda altri generi all'eccezione di medicinali e petrolio, ad Ufficio Centrale Carboni per ciò che riguarda carichi di Carbone.

2. A cominciare dal 1° Maggio 1945gli organismi competenti riceveranno le merci franco nave in tutti i porti Italiani ed invieranno all'A.C. ricevute di ritorno per le merci in questione. Le ricevute di ritorno saranno firmate e bollate da rappresentanti autorizzati dai suddetti organismi, così confermando all'A.C. ricevute delle merci.

3. Tali merci così ricevute dalla Federazione, I.C.E., U.C.C. verranno considerate dall'A.C. come forniture ai detti organismi per conto del Governo Italiano.

4. La Federazione c/o I.C.E., c/o U.C.C. si occuperanno prontamente di tutti i documenti della nave per quanto riguardi le merci a loro diretto e quello esportate da porti Italiani.

5. La Federazione , I.C.E. e U.C.C. impiegheranno quindi un numero adeguato di personale di controllo e rappresentanti autorizzati in tutti i porti ove ve ne fosse necessità, e sarà compito di queste organizzazioni di mantenersi in stretto contatto con il HQ. A.C.S e i suoi rappresentanti in provincia in modo da poter assicurare infor-

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altri generi all'eccezione di medicinali e petrolio, ed Ufficio
Centrale Carboni per ciò che riguarda carichi di Carbone.

2. A cominciare dal 1° Maggio 1945 i organismi competenti rice-
veranno le merci franco nave in tutti i porti italiani ed invieranno
all'A.C. ricevute di ritorno per le merci in questione. Le ricevute
di ritorno saranno firmate e bollate da rappresentanti autorizzati
dai suddetti organismi, così conferendo all'A.C. ricevute delle
merci.

3. Tali merci così ricevute dalla Federazione, I.C.E., e/o U.C.C.
verranno considerate dall'A.C. come forniture ai detti organismi
per conto del Governo Italiano.

4. La Federazione e/o I.C.E., e/o U.C.C. si occuperanno prontamen-
te di tutti i documenti della nave per quanto riguarda le merci e
loro dirette e quelle esportate da porti Italiani.

5. La Federazione, I.C.E. e U.C.C. impiegheranno quindi un numero
adeguato di personale di controllo e rappresentanti autorizzati in
tutti i porti ove ve ne fosse necessità, e ne avrà compito di queste
organizzazioni di mantenersi in stretto contatto con il HQ. A.C.e
i suoi rappresentanti in provincia in modo da poter essere infor-
mati prontamente della necessità per la presenza del loro personale
o dei loro rappresentanti.

6. In alcuni porti le merci dopo essere ufficialmente passate in
possesso dei suddetti organismi, verranno trasportate con mezzi non
sotto il loro controllo. In questo caso se ci dovessero essere per-
dite durante il viaggio, esse verranno giustificate nei conti della
Federazione, I.C.E. o U.C.C. come "perdite di Transito" da essere
calcolate in futuro nel bilancio fra la Tesoreria delle Nazioni Alleate
e la Tesoreria del Governo Italiano.

R.J. Sleggs
R.J. SIEFF
Colonel.

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Rome, 27 April 1945 Lec/1012

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

General Direction of Industries and Mines
Division I

Prot. N° 241
Enclosure N° 1

TO : the ALLIED COMMISSION
Economic Section
Rome

and for information:

TO :
the Agriculture Sub-Commission
" Finance " "
" Industry " "
" Labour " "
" Public Health "
" Public Works "
" Transportation "

SUBJECT: Calling of a series of meetings to consider the questions of economy and organisation.

1°) On the 10th of next month of May and following days, there will take place at this Ministry a series of meeting with the participation of delegates representing the High Commissioners of Sicily and Sardinia, as well as the Heads of local offices attached to this Ministry and the Presidents of the Commerce Chambers of Liberated Italy.

2°) During the aforesaid meetings there will be discussed the various subject-matters listed in the enclosed circular N° 42, prot. N° 2660, dated April 21st.

3°) Because a number of the various subject-matters to be considered during the meetings in question are concerning the Allied Commission, our Ministry would be pleased to rely on the attendance of the representatives of the Economic Section, as well as of each one of the interested Sub-Commissions and of the

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regional offices of the A.M.G. territories.

4°) The attendance of the before mentioned representatives would be particularly useful, starting from the first meeting which will be held in the "sala della Commissioni" (Commissions hall, 1st floor, Entrance Via Aureliana) of this Ministry, at 10 o' clock of 11 May next.

THE MINISTER
Gronchi

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Rome, 21 April 1945

CIRCULAR N° 42

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

General Direction of Industries and Mines
Division I

Prot. N° 2660

TO: the High Commissaries of Sicily and Sardinia
The Representatives of the Chambers of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture
the Directors of the Provincial Offices of Commerce and Industry
the Heads of the Circles attached to the Industry and Labour Inspectorate
the Central Inspectorate of Industry and Labour
the Heads of mine districts

SUBJECT: Calling.

By a telegram of the 20th instant, I have called together in Rome, for the next 10th of May, at this Ministry, the Heads of the Circles attached to the Industry and Labour Inspectorate, the Heads of the various mine districts of liberated Italy, the Presidents of the Chambers of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture as well as the Directors of the provincial offices of Commerce and Industry.

The principal subject-matters are the following:

1) Perusal of the present and of the prospective situation of production for the near future in the different sections of the country;

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2) Workers situation;

3) Derequisition of industrial plants;

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4) Declaration and allotment of raw materials and of manufactured articles;

5) Supervision on the employ of the produce and of the allotted materials;

6) Solid fluel importation, distribution, etc., representation of the U.P.C.I. (Provincial Offices of Commerce and Industry) at the Habours;

7) Metal materials: collection and distribution;

8) Skins and leathers: rules governing the collection of raw materials as well as the tanning and bootmaking industries;

9) Allotment of raw materials to textile and soap-manufacturing industries and distribution of the respective produce.

10) Fixation of prices of manufactured articles in the different provinces, with reference to the national prices as fixed by the International Committee;

11) Transport situation - Use of coasting vessel;

12) Industrial and mining statistic.

13) Advices on industrial financing according to the Lieutenancy Legislative Decree 1st November 1944, N° 377, of 15 November 1944, N° 397; of 28 December 1944,N°416 and of 28 December 1944, N° 417;

14) Ascertainment of the quantity of goods requisitioned by the Allied Authorities as far as payments are concerned;

15) A new law regarding industrial installations;

16) Organisations of communications with the Central Administration.

THE MINISTER
Gronchi

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Rome, 21.4.45

It is to be remembered that the discussion of the abovementioned question may be extended after 10 May 1945.

Ministero dell'Industria, del Commercio e del Lavoro

Dir.Gen. Industria e Minière

Div. I°

Ref. N.° 2741 Allegato 1

Roma 27 APR 1945 19

- ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sezione Economica ROMA

e, per conoscenza:
- S/COMMISSIONE AGRICOLTURA
- S/COMMISSIONE FINANZA
- S/COMMISSIONE INDUSTRIA
- S/COMMISSIONE LAVORO
- S/COMMISSIONE SALUTE PUBBLICA
- S/COMMISSIONE LAVORI PUBBLICI
- S/COMMISSIONE TRASPORTI

OGGETTO: Convocazione per l'esame di problemi economici ed organizzativi.

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1°) - Nei giorni 10 maggio p.v. e seguenti, presso questo Ministero, si terranno riunioni alle quali interverranno i delegati degli Alti Commissari della Sicilia e della Sardegna, i Capi degli Uffici periferici dipendenti da questo Ministero ed i Presidenti delle Camere di Commercio dell'Italia liberata.

2°) - In tali riunioni saranno discussi gli argomenti elencati nell'allegata circolare n. 42, prot. 2660 del 21 aprile.

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3°) - Poichè alcuni argomenti che saranno esaminati interessano codesta Commissione, questo Ministero gradirebbe la presenza di rappresentanti di codesta Sezione e di ciascuna delle S/Commissioni interessate e degli Uffici regionali dei territori A.M.G.

4°) - L'Intervento di tali rappresentanti sarebbe particolarmente utile a conoscere della riunione che avrà luogo nella sala delle Commissioni (piano 1° - Ingresso Via Aurelianae) di questo Ministero, alle ore 10 del gior-

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IL MINISTRO

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pelli e cuoi: disciplina della raccolta del grezzo, della industria conciaria e calzaturiera;

G) Assegnazione di materie prime all'industria tessile e saponiera, e distribuzione dei relativi prodotti;

IO) Determinazione dei prezzi dei prodotti industriali nelle singole provincie in rapporto ai prezzi nazionali fissati dal Comitato Interministeriale;

I1) Situazione dei trasporti - Utilizzazione del cabotaggio;

I2) Statistica industriale e mineraria;

I3) Pareri sui finanziamenti industriali in base ai D.L.L. I° novembre I944 n.377, I5 novembre I944 n.397, 28 dicembre I944 n.4I6 e 28 dicembre I944 n.4I7;

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I6) Organizzazione delle comunicazioni con l'Amministrazione Centrale.

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Roma, 2I/4/I945

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N.B. -Tengasi presente che la trattazione degli argomenti di cui sopra potrà protrarsi - anche nei giorni successivi al I0 maggio p.v.

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CIRCOLARE n. 42

MINISTERO DELL'INDUSTRIA, COMMERCIO E LAVORO
Direz. Gen. dell'Industria e Minie.re

Prot. n. 2660

- AGLI ALTI COMMISSARI DELLA SICILIA E DELLA SARDEGNA
- AI PRESIDENTI DELLE CAMERE DI COMMERCIO INDUSTRIA E AGRICOLTURA
- AI DIRETTORI DEGLI UFFICI PROVINCIALI DEL COMMERCIO E DELL'INDUSTRIA
- AI CAPI CIRCOLO DELL'ISPETTORATO DELL'INDUSTRIA E DEL LAVORO
- ALL'ISPETTORATO CENTRALE DELL'INDUSTRIA E DEL LAVORO
- AI CAPI DEI DISTRETTI MINERARI

OGGETTO: Convocazione.

Con telegramma in data 20 corr. ho convocato in Roma, presso questo Ministero per il IO maggio p.v. i Capi dei Circoli dell'Ispettorato dell'Industria e del Lavoro, i Capi di Distretti Minerari dell'Italia Liberata, i Presidenti delle Camere di Commercio Industria ed Agricoltura ed i Direttori degli Uffici Provinciali del Commercio e dell'Industria.

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I principali argomenti che saranno trattati in tale occasione sono i seguenti:

I) Esame della situazione produttiva nei singoli settori e prospettive per il prossimo avvenire;

2) Situazione operaia;

3) Derequisizione degli stabilimenti industriali;

4) Denuncia ed assegnazione delle materie prime e dei manufatti;

5) Vigilanza sull'impiego dei prodotti e dei materiali assegnati;

6) Combustibili solidi: importazioni, distribuzione ecc., rappresentanze degli U.P.C.I. ai porti;

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

SUBJECT: Personnel of liquidation offices to be sent in Northern Italy.

LSC/1552

TO : Allied Commission
Labour Sub-Commission
Rome

The liquidation office of the suppressed Confederations of Industry - Agriculture - Commerce - Credit and Insurance has pointed out to this Ministry the following expert individuals who ought to follow the advancing troops in order to look after and safeguard the capital assets of the suppressed Confederations.

- Dott. Maestro Renato - Via Sebotino 2 a - Tel.683051
- Prof. Raca Ettore - Via Dandolo N°59
- Prof. Angiolini Vittorio - Via dei Podesta 14 - Tel. 394597
- On. Corazrin Luigi - Via Capo d'Istria N° 4
- Rag. Barontini Italo - Via Reno N°21 - Tel.866154

We beg you to examine the opportunity of sending the abovementioned experts in Northern Italy and to inform us of your decision.

For THE MINISTER
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Ministero dell'Industria, del Commercio e del Lavoro

GABINETTO

Prot. N.° 67/63.1.8 Allegati

Roma, 25 APR 1945 19

LA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
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Risposta al foglio N.° del

OGGETTO : Dipendenti ufficio liquidazione disciolte Confederazioni da inviare al nord.=

L'ufficio di liquidazione delle disciolte confederazioni lavoratori industria-agricoltura-commercio-credito ed assicurazione ha comunicato a questo Ministero i seguenti nominativi di esperti che dovrebbero seguire le truppe operanti per prendere i primi provvedimenti cautelativi per la salvaguardia dei beni mobili ed immobili delle ex Confederazioni

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Si prega di voler esaminare l'opportunità dell'invio dei suddetti esperti al nord e di comunicare a questo Ministero le determinazioni adottate al riguardo.

IL MINISTRO

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Allied Control Commission A.C. 12356 Section 3.3/RND No. 78502

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AMG EMILIA REGION RPTD TOSCANA REGION CMA AMG UMBRIA MARCHE REGION

FROM 87 April ROUTINE

SECRET PD

PARA ONE PD SUBJECT IS RETURN OF TERRITORY TO ITALIAN GOVERNMENT PD

PARA TWO PD IT IS PROPOSED TO RECOMMEND HANDOVER OF THE FOLLOWING TERRITORY ON TWO SIX MAY PD PROVINCES OF GROSETTO CMA SIENA CMA AREZZO AND UMBRIA MARCHE LESS THE PROVINCE OF ANCONA PD

PAREN TO AMG EMILIA REGION RPTD TOSCANA REGION CMA AMG UMBRIA MARCHE REGION FROM BA ALCOM CITE ACCAS PAREN

PARA THREE PD CONSIDER PERSONNEL AND OTHER CONSIDERATIONS OUTWEIGH ADMINISTRATIVE DISADVANTAGE OF DIVIDING TOSCANA PD

PARA FOUR PD PROPOSE ANCONA BE TRANSFERRED TO EMILIA PD

PARA FIVE PD YOUR COMMENTS ARE REQUESTED

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 794
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

DCR/rmw

TEL : Ext. 804 23 April 1945

REF : LSC/1092

SUBJECT: Statistical Data - Filippo Romeo Silk Firm.

Sirs:

This will refer to your letter of 10 April concerning the above subject.

Please be advised that this firm has been notified by the Allied Commission, Commerce Sub-Commission, through ICE that it has full liberty to supply your Ministry with the information requested.

Yours very truly,

R. E. GRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

Ministry of Industry, Commerce
and Labor
Italian Government
Rome

OGGETTO: Informazione Statistica - Ditta Setorie Filippo Romeo.

Si fa seguito alla Vostra del 10 Aprile riguardante l'oggetto sopra-indicato.

Si avverte che questa Ditta e' stata informata dalla Commissione Alleata, Sottocommissione del Commercio, tramite l'ICE, che ha piena liberta' di fornire l'informazione richiesta al Vostro Ministero.

Ministero dell'Industria, Commercio e Lavoro,
Governo Italiano,
Roma.

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COMMERCE SUB-COMMISSION
Foreign Trade Division

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20 April 1945

Ref. AC/5137/5/Commerce

SUBJECT : Filippo Romeo Silk Firm, Roccalumera - Statistical Data

TO : I.C.E., Rome

1. A note dated 10 April 1945 has been sent to AC. Labour Sub-Commission by the Ministry of Industry Commerce & Labour, Ispettorato Centrale Industria e Lavoro, stating that a letter N° 1822 dated 16 February 1945 had been received from the Ispettorato of Catania, to the effect that the Firm under reference was not in position to submit statistical data regarding production, since the Officer in charge of AC. Silk Control had forbidden such information.

2. No instructions of this kind were ever issued and, in view also of the fact that this is the only case brought to our notice, we think that the above statement by Filippo Romeo must be due to some misinterpretation.

3. Through your office in Reggio or Catania, please inform Filippo Romeo that he has full liberty to supply the Italian authorities with any statistical data they may require.

Major H. A. GENT

for

W.P. EVANS
Colonel,
Director
Commerce Subcommission

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Copy to: Labour S/C (your letter LSC/1002 of 17 April 1945 to Industry S/C refers)
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April 19, 1945

REF : LSC/1002 + (147)

SUBJECT: Establishment and Staffing of Labour Offices

TO : H.E. Giovanni Gronchi,
Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour

1. We are in accord with your suggestion as to the establishment and staffing of labour offices in the five northern Regions which will in the first instance be under Allied Military Government.

2. We have prepared and sent a circular to the regional commissioners on the subject of labour offices and have given them an organizational chart as suggested by you. These charts contain the number and grade of employees to be engaged in the various regional and provincial offices.

3. We have not included the salaries to be paid except that we have indicated the group and grade of the employees to be employed. Local salary standards will be applied to the personnel of the labour offices.

4. With respect to the functions of the labour offices as outlined by you, we wish to make the following comments:

(a) Point number one in your letter which provides for the registration of trade-unions, their supervision and their tutelage may be subject to misrepresentation by those who believe that trade-unions should be free organizations of labour.

(b) Point number two which provides for the intervention of the labour office, as a technical agency, in the formulation of collective agreements might lead some people to believe that such intervention will be as a matter of right or of law. Many people believe that such intervention should be on the basis of a request by both contracting parties and that employers and employees should be allowed to negotiate freely.

(c) Point number three needs some clarification. It is not clear whether the registration of employees, employers, proprietors and professional men shall be for the placing of manpower in times of emergency, such as war or national reconstruction, whether it shall be for the purpose of establishing the number of employed and unemployed, or whether it shall be compulsory.

(d) The other points in your statement of functions are very clear and need no comments from us.

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5. We suggest for your consideration the following functions which labour offices may fruitfully perform:

(a) To promote the welfare of wage-earning women and children, improve their working conditions, increase their efficiency and advance their opportunities for gainful employment.

(b) To supervise and assist in such migration and other movement of workers as may be necessary and to exercise such manpower controls as may be determined by Italian law.

(c) The establish and develop a conciliation and mediation section within the labour offices.

6. We shall be happy to meet with you to discuss any of these points if you should so desire.

W. H. BRAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

DCL/ec

REF : L-2/1002 17 April 1945

SUBJECT: Statistical Data - Filipro Romeo Silk Firm.

TO : The Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of 10 April 1945, concerning the above mentioned subject.

Please be advised that this Sub-Commission has forwarded your request to the proper authorities, and we will notify you of what action has been taken.

F. H. BRAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

LS/00

REF : LS/1002 17 April 1945

SUBJECT: Statistical data - Filippe Buzeo Silk Firm.

TO : Industry, Commerce Sub-Commission.

We are enclosing a copy of the letter received from the Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

Will you give consideration to the request contained in this letter, and advise this Sub-Commission as to the action taken.

W. H. BRAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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MINISTERO INDUSTRIA, COMMERCIO E LAVORO
Ispettorato Centrale Industrie e Lavoro

Rome, 10 April 1945

SUBJECT: Transmission of statistical data concerning firms working for Allied Armed Forces.

TO : Allied Commission, Labour Sub Commission, Roma

The head of the Ispettorato dell'Industrie e Lavoro of Catania, with letter n. 1822 dated 16.2.1945, has informed us that the Filippo Romeo Silk Establishment located in Roccalumera cannot submit as statistical data regarding its production since the English officer (A.C. Silk Control) which controls the production of the said establishment has forbidden it.

Since this Ministry must reactivate the statistical service we beg you to give instruction so that the Allied Offices concerned will not impede the transmission of data requested by the writer unless there are specific military reasons.

THE MINISTER
/s/ Gronchi

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Ministero dell'Industria, Commercio e Lavoro
Ispettorato Centrale Industria e Lavoro

Roma, 10 APR 1945 19 Anno

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AL COMANDO ALLEATA
- Sottocommissione Lavoro -
R O M A

Prot. N.° 001295 Allegati

Risposta al Foglio N.° del

OGGETTO: Trasmissione dati statistici riguardanti ditte lavoranti per conto delle Forze Armate Alleate.-

Il Capo Circolo dell'Ispettorato dell'Industria e del Lavoro di Catania, con lettera n. 3228 in data 16/2/1945, ha fatto presente che la ditta Filippo Rosso, esercente uno stabilimento per la filatura della seta in Roccalumera (via Provinciale), si trova nell'impossibilità di inviare i dati relativi alla produzione per precisa disposizione dell'Ufficiale inglese preposto al controllo della produzione stessa, in quanto questa è fatta esclusivamente per conto dell'A.C. Silk Controll di R. Calabria.

Poichè questo Ministero deve ripristinare il servizio statistico, affine di poter tenere conto dell'attuale stato dell'industria della Nazione, ci porge vivamente codesta Sub-commissione, di voler dare disposizioni affinchè nessun Ufficio alleato impedisca trasmissione di dati richiesti dalle scrivente, almeno quando non esistano ragioni specifiche di interesse militare.

Il Direttore

Mod. 6104

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IL MINISTRO

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
INDUSTRY SUB-COMMISSION

Tel. 328 RJR/djw

Ref. AC/6326/IND 16 April 1945

SUBJECT: Dry Cells and Batteries

TO : H. E. Cruechi
Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour

1. The firm of Hellesens Italiana Soc. An., of Rome, previously utilised by the British Armed Forces, through P.A.U.C.S. Central Purchase and Production, Italy, 29 via Regina Elena, Rome, has been released by them to AC and, under the directive of the combined Chiefs of Staff, will be released immediately for the benefit of the Italian civil economy. A full statement of the situation of this plant is attached to this letter for your interim information.

2. Attached also is a request from the company for exemption of employees from liability for military service. Your Excellency may consider it of great importance that these employees be allowed to remain with the company, whose products will be of great service to the Italian civilian population and particularly to the Italian State Railways.

(signed)

W. J. MACKREY, LT. COL.
for Director
Industry Sub-Commission

Incl.: 2
Statement on Situation of above plant.
Letter from Hellesens Co. to Industry S/C

Copies to:
Economic Section
Hellesens Italiana Soc. An.
~~Transportation S/C~~
Labour S/C

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NARA Date 2-10-76 E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785021

Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour

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Nellessens Italiana Soc. An.
~~Transportation S/C~~
Labour S/C

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HELLESENS ITALIANA S.A.
Head Office Via Frattina 10, Rome.

BOMBS formerly Via Cateinese 75, 75 E

now Via Pretoriani 8

This factory was damaged by air attack, but after requisition by B.A.M.E. (Central Purchase and Production) A.F.H.Q., was transferred to the present location. Materials to completely rebuild the plant were supplied by the British Army. The plant is thus well equipped and ready to start production.

The British Army has now no further use for this plant for the production of dry batteries and wishes to be relieved of the three months' contract placed with Messrs. Hellesens.

The factory is not at the moment producing but the Ministry of Posts and Telegraphs has placed an order. Industry Sub-Commission has assisted the firm in the preparation of lists of necessary raw materials for six months' production the requirements have been screened and MAT 10 forms prepared and lodged with AFLR Board (Engineering Materials Section). It is thus hoped that production can be started almost immediately.

The factory is Italian property requisitioned by the British War Department and is being derequisitioned to permit the full use of its productive facilities for the benefit of the civilian economy.

The responsibility for the further supply of raw materials to this plant now passes to the Italian Government. Any further arrangements as to the disposition of the product of this plant likewise becomes a responsibility of the Italian Government.

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FELLWEGHE ITALIANA SOC. AN.

Fabbriche di File e Batterie
e cavi

Reparto Impiegati-Dept.
SP/P/
Cl/ 46027

Rome March 29th 1945

INDUSTRY SUB - COMMISSION
A.C.
Rome

Attention Major W.B. Orians

Referring to our conversation a few days ago we take the liberty to confirm:

1) Our Company stipulated a contract with the W.D. (through B.A.D.S.S. Central Purchase and Production, Italy, 29 Via Regina Elena, Rome) on August 14th, 1944, according to which we were partly to rebuild and instal a factory here in Rome for the production of Drycells and Batteries for the British and American Armed Forces.

2) About one month after the factory was ready to go into production (end of February 1945) we were advised, that the W.D. did not require our Batteries, and that we would be transferred to A.C. Industry Sub-Commission Col. Mankey.

3) Through B.A.D.S.S. we had secured the exemption from Military Service for the following 4 Italian workers representing our key men:

a) Faelomi, Angelo exemption expires: 18/3/1945
b) Nazzu, Giovanni " " 27/4/1945
c) Ricciardi, Arduino " " 9/5/1945
d) Maria Bruno " " 9/5/1945

We enclose herewith 4 separate lists giving full

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details of the men concerned with copies of exemptions already granted by the Command of the Military District of Rome Area. We may add, that we requested an extension of Paolomi, Angelo's exemption through D.A.D.C.R. on March 22nd, 1945.

4) Our Company is - as far as we knew to date - going to be included in the A.C. Rehabilitation Scheme, and as s/m 4 are represented "Key" workers, specially trained for our production, we ask you please to secure from the proper Authorities an extention of 6 months of present exemption for all 4 men.
If not will be extremely difficult for us to fulfil the engagements of supplies, which we have already tendered for various Public Administrations.
We foresee, that if present restrictions should prevail at the expiration of the requested exemptions, we shall be obliged to apply again for a further period of exemption for these 4 men.

" Rollsonia"
Managing Director

8 Enclosures

/s/ E. Fife

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

REF : LSC/1002-2 14 April 1945

SUBJECT: Recruitment of Civil Labour for Malta

TO : Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

1. The Allied Command has requested us to enquire as to the possibility of recruiting labour of the building trades classes for reconstruction work in the Island of Malta. This will involve voluntary recruitment of workmen for serving in Malta on a contract basis for a limited period of time and ultimate return to Italy.

2. Will you kindly advise this Sub-Commission as to your views on the possibility of arranging such a recruitment plan.

for W. H. BRAIDE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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REF : LSC/1002-2 14 April 1945

SUBJECT: Recruitment of Civil Labour for Malta.

TO : AFHQ G-5.

1. This is in reply to your G-5 230.4-17 of 10 April, reference above subject.

2. We have communicated with the Italian Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour concerning this subject and will forward the views of the Italian Government to you when the same has been received. In the meantime it would be helpful if we could have an estimate of the number of workmen involved in the contemplated plan.

3. In the event that favourable action is indicated, it will be necessary for you to assign an officer to work out the numerous details involved in such a scheme.

4. In the opinion of this Sub-Commission, there is a shortage of skilled tradesmen in the building and construction field in Italy today in the light of the demands of the Allied Forces and of private industries doing reconstruction work.

for E. H. BOOTH
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

G-5 230.4-17 10 April 1945

SUBJECT: Recruitment of Civil Labour for Malta

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394.

1. The Director of Works this Headquarters has reported to this Section that he has been asked whether it would be possible to recruit in Sicily, Sardinia and Italy civil labour of the building trades classes for reconstruction work in Malta. Recruitment in the sense used means voluntary recruitment of personnel (without families) with a view to service in Malta on a contract basis with ultimate return to Italy when the work is done.

2. It is requested that you will submit your views and those of the Italian Government on the general question raised particularly having regard to the availability of such labour and the desirability there may be of keeping it in Italy to carry out reconstruction work there.

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

Jackman
Lt Col.
T. B. JACKMAN,
Lt. Colonel.

Copy to Engineer Sec. (BR) your EMG/2750 of 6 April refers.

Jackman 4.5.1.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUB COMMISSION

LSC/102

Tel. : 479199

ACLG/4/LG.

DATE 2 April 1945

SUBJECT : Delivery of Mail

TO : Labor Sub Commission

The attached correspondence received from the Ministry of the Interior for forwarding to Provinces in Army Areas is passed to you as it deals with matters appertaining to your Sub-Commission.

Will you please forward to the SCAO's Areas concerned together with English translations and any observations you consider necessary.

for [illegible] Capt
Director.
Local Government S/C.

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THE ROMAN ERE ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Labor S/C
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Ref A/Pol/C.

April 1945

SUBJECT : Italian State Employees in AMG Territory

TO : All Regional Commissioners and SCAOs

1. From time to time, questions arise as to the correct status and rights of individual members of the Italian civil service at present employed in Military Government Territory, e.g. questions as to an individual official's correct rank or grade or correct rates of pay or allowances. At present, such questions have of necessity to be referred to the appropriate Italian Ministry for advice, as the Ministry is the only body in possession of the knowledge requisite for a decision. It has been decided that in future all such questions may be dealt with by direct correspondence between the appropriate Ministry and the dependent Provincial State office.

2. This decision is subject to the following limitations:-
a) it is limited to matters having application to an individual only: it does not authorise direct correspondence with the appropriate Ministry upon questions having a general application to a class or group of officials;
b) it is limited to the ascertainment of the true facts and of the Italian administrative law and practice applicable thereto in an individual case: it does not authorise Italian Ministers in any way to alter the existing situation of the individual (e.g. to promote, demote or transfer him) without the consent of AC.

3. All such communications from the Prefect to the Ministry must, however, be sent through AC channels. The necessity for strictly observing these channels must be firmly impressed on the Prefect and measures taken to see that he adheres to them.

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4. RCs/SCAOs and FCs will place on all such communications a stamp or other indication containing the words "forwarded" or "sent" to indicate that the proper channels have been observed. RCs/SCAOs and FCs are not required to examine in detail the Prefect's proposals or to express any opinion on them, unless they have some special reason for doing so.

5. In AMG territory no instructions or directions of general application affecting any section or category of officials may be issued without prior consent of the Allied Commission. Hence the grant of any general increase in pay or allowances, or of any bonus or indemnity to a group or section of employees must be approved by the Ro Allied Commission.

6. Where salary, wage or pension changes of general application have been authorised in Italian Government territory, other than by decree, and it is considered desirable that like treatment shall be applied to AMG territory, the proper Italian ministry will furnish copies of the relative circular or instruction to the Allied Commission. If extension to AMG territory is approved the circular instructions will be sent through AC channels to Regional Commissioners and SCAOs for delivery to the respective provincial State offices. By this arrangement finance officers will know that the salary or pension changes are authorised

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b) it is limited to the ascertainment of the true facts and of the Italian administrative law and practice applicable thereto in an individual case: it does not authorise Italian Ministers in any way to alter the existing situation of the individual (e.g. to promote, donate or transfer him) without the consent of AC.

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4 MSs/CCAGs and ICs will place on all such communications a stamp or other indication mentioning the words "forwarded" or "sent" to indicate that the proper channels have been observed. MSs/CCAGs and ICs are not required to examine in detail the Prefect's proposals or to express any opinion on them, unless they have some special reason for doing so.

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6 Where salary, wage or pension changes of general application have been authorised in Italian Government territory, other than by decree, and it is considered desirable that like increase shall be applied to AMG territory, the proper Italian ministry will furnish copies of the relative circular or instruction to the Allied Commission. If extension to AMG territory is approved the circular instructions will be sent through AC channels to Regional Commissioners and CCAGs for delivery to the respective provincial State offices. By this arrangement finance officers will know that the salary or pension changes are authorised in AMG territory, and the instructions will be delivered without postal delays.

7 These arrangements do not confer on the Italian Government any authority to finance provincial State offices or to issue credit or direct payment orders in AMG territory; except as already provided for expenditure chargeable to the budgets of the ministries of War, Marine and Air, the State Railways, the State Monopoly and to capitole 202 in the budget of the Ministry of the Treasury.

8 Nothing in this letter shall compel a Regional Commissioner or CCAG to permit direct correspondence between a Ministry and Provincial State Office in AMG territory should he not desire it.

BY COMMAND OF FIELD MARSHAL ALEXANDER

[signature]

HERBERT E. PIPER, Col
Acting Executive Commissioner

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION

AC/A/30/LG. 1st April, 1945.

SUBJECT: Supply of Italian Prefectural Officials.

TO : All RCs and SCAOs.

1. This directive is intended to deal only with prefectural appointments below those of Prefect and Vice Prefect. It does not in any way affect the present practice with regard to the appointment of Prefects and Vice Prefects which will be dealt with in accordance with existing directives.

2. Owing to the shortage of Italian trained personnel, only key positions of a Prefecture can in future be supplied by officials sent from ROME. Such key positions are:

Councillors ("Consiglieri")
Chief Accountants ("Ragionieri Capi")

For the same reason, the normal complement of Councillors at a Prefecture will be limited to two, save in a few of the most important provinces.

3. For other administrative positions, the Prefect must use every endeavour to recruit temporary employees ("avventizi") in the locality. The rules governing the engagement and conditions of service of such temporary employees are well known to career Prefects and Vice-Prefects. Only if it is impossible to recruit a temporary employee should application be made for an official to be sent from ROME.

4. The remainder of this circular deals with the procedure to be adopted in future when it is desired to have an administrative official below the rank of Prefect and Vice Prefect sent from ROME to fill a vacancy at the Prefecture.

5. The Prefect will in future report direct to the Minister of the Interior, giving particulars of the officials already in service and stating his 6093
requirements.

6. All such communications from the Prefect to the Ministry must, however, be sent through AC channels. The necessity for strictly observing these channels must be firmly impressed on the Prefect and measures taken to see that he adheres to them.

7. RCs/SCAOs and PCs will place on all such communications a stamp or other indication containing the words "forwarded" or "Seen" to indicate that the proper channels have been observed. RCs/SCAOs and PCs are not required to examine in detail the Prefect's proposals or to express any opinion on them, unless they have some special reason for doing so.

8. An official designated by the Ministry of the Interior for service at a

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8. An official designated by the Ministry of the Interior for service at a Prefecture will report to Local Government Sub-Commission for travel orders. The Sub-Commission will dispatch him to Regional/Army HQ, as at present. Every such official will bring with him a letter of introduction in the form given in the Appendix, a copy of which will also be sent by post.

9. Facilities no longer exist for screening every such official before dispatch, as in the past. Instead, use will be made of the epuration procedure for which the Italian Government is responsible (see the statement as to operation in para. 3 of the form in the Appendix). No official will be sent for duty in Military Government Territory without either this epuration certificate or having been screened.

10. If a reasonably adequate staff is not obtainable by these methods or if there is unreasonable delay in obtaining it, the IC should report specifically

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on the facts, and this HQ will take the matter up with the Italian Government. For a variety of reasons, however, considerable delay is to be expected. Correspondence between AC officers in the field and this HQ as to officials below the grade of Vice-Prefect Inspector should be kept to the minimum.

C. R. UERKOM, Brig.
VP CA SECTION.

Appendix attached.

Distribution:-

HQ Tuscana Region	(10)	(For FUs)
HQ Umbria-Marche Region	(10)	"
SCAO AMG 5 Army	(10)	"
SCAO AMG 8 Army	(10)	"
C-5, 15 Army Group	(2)	
HQ 4 Corps	(2)	
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Civil Affairs Section	(2)	
Public Safety S/C	(1)	
Public Health S/C	(1)	
Legal S/C	(1)	
Patriots Branch	(1)	
Displ S/C	(1)	
Education S/C	(1)	
MFA & A S/C	(1)	

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HQ LIGURIA REGION	(10)
HQ PIEMONTE REGION	(10)
HQ LOMBARDIA REGION	(15)
HQ VENEZIA REGION	(20)

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APPENDIX

MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR
Direction General of General
Affairs and Personnel

Rome 1945

Section ..... Division .....

File No. ..... Enclosures .....

To the
ALLIED COMMISSION
Local Government Sub Commission

SUBJECT: Official for the Prefecture of .....

1. The bearer of this letter is:

Surname	Title and name	Grade

2. After correspondence between this Ministry and the Prefect through the medium of the Allied Commission, it is considered necessary to send this official to the said Prefecture to undertake the functions of .....

*3. This official has been submitted to epuration and adjudged (no case for sanctions) (censure). The time limit for appeals has expired.

OR.

+3. This official is not liable to epuration as he does not come within any of the conditions envisaged by the law as to sanctions against Fascism.

4. May arrangements please be made for him to travel to the said Prefecture.

FOR THE MINISTER

NOTE: (1) Delete at + the words inapplicable
(2) For Italian translation, see back.

1st Indorsement

Ref .....

Date 1945

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4. Any arrangements please be made for him to travel to the said Prefecture.

FOR THE MINISTER

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1st Indorsement

Ref .....

Date 1945

TO HQ/SCAO

1. Arrangements have been made for the above-mentioned official to travel to your HQ by ..... on .....

2. This / Another copy is sent with the official concerned as an introduction.
This / Another copy is being sent to you by post.

Director
Local Government Sub Commission

3/4/45

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MINISTERO DELL'INTERNO
Direzione Generale degli Affari
Generali e del Personale.

Roma 1945

Sezione ..... Divisione .....

Prot. No. .....

ALLA: COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione Governo Locale

OGGETTO: Funzionario per la Prefettura di .....

1. Il latore di questa lettera e' :

Cognome	Titolo e Nome	Grado

2. In seguito a corrispondenza intercorsa tra questo Ministero ed il Prefetto per il tramite della Commissione Alleata, si considera necessario inviare questo funzionario alla predetta Prefettura per assumere le funzioni di .....

3. Il funzionario e' stato sottoposto a giudizio di epurazione e giudicato con : (non luogo a sanzioni. / censura.) + I termini utili per i ricorsi sono scaduti.

O

+3. Il funzionario non risulta suscettibile di giudizio di epurazione in quanto non rientra in alcuna delle ipotesi previste dalla legge per le sanzioni contro il fascismo.

4. Si prega di provvedere al trasporto del funzionario alla suddetta Prefettura.

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+NOTA: (1) Cancellare ove non necessario.
(2) Per trasferimento Inglese v. lui a tergo.

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	Maj. Murtagh	
	Maj. Tooby	
	Maj. Green	
	Capt. Macnamara	
	Capt. Atkins	
	Mr. Bakken	
	Mr. Stauffer	
	Mr. Lehman	
	Chief Clerk	

External

Fr.		To
/	ECONOMIC SECTION	
	AGRICULTURE SUBCOMMISSION	
	COMMERCE " "	
	FINANCE " "	
	FOOD " "	
	INDUSTRY " "	
	LABOR " "	/
	P.W. & U. " "	
	TRANSPORTATION "	
	CHIEF COMMISSIONER	
	EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER	
	CIVIL AFFAIRS SECTION	
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Mr. SCOTT	DJ	26/4
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 7002/EC. 24 March 1945.

Subject: Functions of Liaison Officers in Italian Government Territory.

To:
VP Economic Section (15)
VP Civil Affairs Section (10)
VP Establishments Section (3)
Navy Sub Commission
Land Forces Sub Commission (MGLA)
Air Forces Sub Commission
War Materials Disposal & Italian PW Sub Commission
PRO
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Col. J.C. PENNYCUICK, Local Commissioner, Naples Commune (5)
Lt.Col. L. DAWSON, LO Bari (5)

1. The first duty of Allied Commission liaison officers will be to keep themselves, at all times, informed of the situation in the areas with which they are concerned. This will involve the use of all available means of information, press, intelligence summaries, PWB reports, etc. They will inform HQ AC direct of any circumstances arising which may in their opinion adversely affect the Allied war effort or influence the general policy of the Commission. They will submit a monthly report to HQ which will include comment on the political situation.

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3. Liaison officers will keep close touch with the senior military formation, American and British in their areas. They will endeavour at all times to assist military formations in their relations with Italian Government departments and agencies. They must, however, remember that they are liaison officers and not executive officers and will not be able to carry out many of the functions of Provincial Commissioners.

Points which may require special attention are:

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Points which may require special attention are:

a. Law cases affecting Allied personnel or property. 6696
b. Epidemics endangering Allied personnel.
c. Requisitioning and derequisitioning.
d. Relations between Allied and Italian police force.

4. Liaison officers will, in the absence of specialist AO officers, assist the Allied Forces Local Resources Board, or Allied Procuring Agencies, as may be necessary, in their relations with the Italian authorities.

5. Liaison officers will be stationed at centres of importance to Allied interests. They will assist, as necessary, relations between the Allied Services and the local Italian officials.

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In addition they will have a general duty as defined in para.1 over wide areas as under:

SARDINIA:	L.O. (MMIA senior L.O.)	
SICILY:	L.O. Palermo	- Provinces of Palermo, Trapani, Agrigento, Caltanisetta.
	L.O. Catania	- Provinces of Catania, Messina, Enna, Ragusa, Siracusa.
SOUTHERN ITALY:	L.O. Naples (A.M.G.Commissioner, Naples)	- Provinces of Naples, Salerno, Benevento, Avellino, Campobasso, Cosenza, Catanzaro, Reggio.
	L.O. Bari	- Provinces of Foggia, Bari, Brindisi, Lecce, Taranto, Matera, Potenza.

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6. They will at all times avoid being involved in questions of Italian local government, and, even if asked, they will not give official advice, on behalf of AC, to Prefects or other State employees. They will, in all cases, refer the Italian local official to his Ministry in Rome.

7. The AC liaison officer will be responsible for discipline and administration of all AC officers in his area.

NORMAN E. FISKE,
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Acting Executive Commissioner.

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Political Adviser (A)
G-5 AFHQ (3)
RC Sicilia Region
RC Sardegna Region
RC Lazio-Umbria Region
RC Umbria-Marche Region
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 534
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 7002/96/SD. 7 March 1945.

SUBJECT: Withdrawal of AC Officers from Italian Government Territory.

TO: RC, Sicily Region (10)
RC, Southern Region. (10)
RC, Sardinia Region (5)
RC, Lazio-Umbria Region. (10)
RC, Abruzzi-Marche Region. (5)
Civil Affairs Section. (10)
Economic Section. (14)
Establishment Section. (3)

1. The Combined Chiefs of Staff in their telegram FAN 487 of 31 January 1945 transmitting the New Deal for Italy, directed that:

> "The Allied Commission shall as soon as possible withdraw all its officers stationed in the field in the territory under the jurisdiction of the Italian Government. However, the Allied Commission should retain the right to send its representatives into territory under the jurisdiction of the Italian Government for any special tasks when Allied interests require it."

2. As a result of this the following action will be taken with regard to Allied Commission functions in SARDINIA, SICILY and SOUTHERN ITALY:

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(i) Allied Commission Liaison Officer at PALERMO.
(ii) Allied Commission Liaison Officer at CAGLIARI.
(iii) CAO, LAMPEDUSA.
(iv) CAO, PANTELLERIA.
(v) Certain technical officers.

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(c) SOUTHERN REGION. All Allied Commission officers will be withdrawn except:
(i) Provincial Staff for NAPLES Commune in which Allied Military Government will continue.
(ii) Allied Commission Liaison Officer at BARI.
(iii) Certain technical officers.

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(d) LAZIO-UMBRIA REGION. All Allied Commission officers will be withdrawn from Regional HQ and the Provinces of LAZIO with the exception of:
(i) Allied Commission Liaison Officer (Public Safety) with Rome Allied Area Command.
(ii) Certain technical officers.
The Provinces of UMBRIA (TERNI and PERUGIA) will continue under Allied Military Government; the Provincial staffs will remain and will pass to command of Regional HQ, MARCHE-UMBRIA (formerly ABRUZZI MARCHE) Region.

(e) ABRUZZI-MARCHE REGION. All Allied Commission officers will be withdrawn from the Provinces of ABRUZZI (TERAMO, AQUILA, PESCARA, CHIETI), with the exception of a Transportation Officer (Truck pool) at AQUILA. The Provinces of the MARCHE (ASCOLI, MACERATA, ANCONA, PESARO) will remain under Allied Military Government with Provincial staffs. The Region, which in future will be known as MARCHE-UMBRIA Region, will absorbe the Provinces of PERUGIA and TERNI, under Allied Military Government, with their Provincial staffs. The Regional Commissioner will also act as Allied Commission Liaison Officer for the Provinces of ABRUZZI.

Details of officers to be retained will be found in Appendix "A".

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4. Regional Commissioners will take steps to complete those moves by 1 April 1945. Further instructions will be issued by the Establishment Section.

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Brigadier,
Executive Commissioner.

Encl: Appendix "A".

Copy to:
PA to Acting President
G-5 Section, Allied Force Headquarters.
Navy Sub-Commission
Land Forces Sub-Commission (AMG)
Air Forces Sub-Commission
Office of the Political Advisors
Communications Sub-Commission
SCD & IPOW Sub-Commission
Public Relations Branch
DCCAO, 15 Army Group

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APPENDIX "A".

OFFICERS TO BE LEFT IN ITALIAN CONSIGNED TERRITORY AFTER 1 APRIL 1945.

Region.		Officers.	
SARDINIA		2	Mining
SICILY	- Palermo ...	1	Liaison
	- Catania	1	Liaison
	- Pantelleria .	1	Civil Affairs
	- Lampedusa	1	Civil Affairs
		1	Supply Accountant)
		1	Property Control) to be withdrawn
		1	Transportation) about 1 May 1945
SOUTHERN	- Reggio	1	Transportation
	- Catanzaro ...	1	Transportation
	- Naples Commune	1	Local Commissioner
		1	Executive Officer
		1	Adjutant
		1	Provincial Officer
		1	Commander Coy. "C".
		3	Legal
		3	Public Health
		4	Public Safety
		2	Commerce
		1	Food
		2	Industry
		5	Finance (2 to be withdrawn about 1 May 1945)
		2	Public Works & Utilities
		5	Transportation
	- Bari .	1	Liaison
		1	Asst. Liaison (Food)
		7	Transportation
LAZIO-UMBRIA	- Rome ...	1	Public Safety
		3	Finance
		1	Transportation
	- Civitavecchia.	2	Transportation) to be
		1	Public Works & Utilities) withdrawn about 1 June 1945.
ABRUZZI-MARCHE	- Aquila ...	1	Transportation.

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SOUTHERN	- Reggio ...	1	Transportation
	- Catanzaro ...	1	Transportation
	- Naples Command	1	Local Commissioner
		1	Executive Officer
		1	Adjutant
		1	Provincial Officer
		1	Commander Coy. "C".
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		3	Public Health
		4	Public Safety
		2	Commerce
		1	Food
		2	Industry
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		2	Public Works & Utilities
		5	Transportation
	- Bari ...	1	Liaison
		1	Asst. Liaison (Food)
		7	Transportation
LEGIS-LIBERIA	- Rome ...	1	Public Safety
		3	Finance
		1	Transportation
	- Civitavecchia.	2	Transportation) to be
		1	Public Works & Utilities) withdrawn about 1 June 1945.
LIBERIA-MARCHE	- Aquila ...	1	Transportation.
	TOTAL..	61	

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Five truck pool transportation officers will be withdrawn as soon as the vehicles are handed over to the Italian Government, and fourteen without control Transportation officers will be withdrawn some time after 1 July 1945.

Of the total number of 61 left in the South, it will be noted that 34 are in AMG territory (Naples Command, Pantelleria and Lampedusa).

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APO 394
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

File
LSC/1002

13006/F

21 March 1945.

SUBJECT: Italian State Employees in AMG Territory

TO : All Regional Finance Officers and
Senior Finance Officers.

1. It has been decided that all establishment questions affecting individual members of the Italian civil service at present employed in AMG territory shall in future be dealt with by direct correspondence between the parent ministry and the dependent provincial State office. This arrangement is limited to matters having individual application only, for example, seniority in grade, promotion, increments of salary, rates of travelling and subsistence allowances, retirement and pension, marriage and birth premiums, etc.

2. In AMG territory no instructions or directions of general application affecting a section or category of officials may be issued without prior consent of the Allied Commission. Hence the grant of any general increase in pay or allowances, or of any bonus or indemnity to a group or section of employees must be approved by the Allied Commission.

3. Where salary, wage or pension changes of general application have been authorised in Italian Government territory, other than by decree, and it is considered desirable that like treatment shall be applied in AMG territory, the proper Italian ministry will furnish copies of the relative circular or instruction to the Finance Sub-Commission. If extension to AMG territory is approved the circular instructions will be sent through Allied official channels to Regional Finance Officers for delivery to the respective provincial State offices. By this arrangement Finance Officers will know that the salary or pension changes are authorised in AMG territory, and the instructions will be delivered without postal delays.

4. These arrangements do not confer on the Italian Government any authority to finance provincial State offices or to issue credit or direct payment orders in AMG territory; except as already provided for expenditures chargeable to the budgets of the ministries of War, Marine and Air, the State Railways, the State Monopoly and to capitolo 202 in the budget of the Ministry of the Treasury.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE.

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for BELL
Joint Director,
Finance Sub-Commission

LABOR 5/c

~~Misc~~ 1002

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Office of the Executive Commissioner

Ref: 6501/EC.

21 March 1945.

Subject: Allied Commission Relations with Representatives of United Nations.

To: V.P., Economic Section (10)
V.P., Civil Affairs Section (10)
Director, Navy Sub Commission
Director, Land Forces Sub Commission (13HA)
Director, Air Forces Sub Commission
Director, Communications Sub Commission
Director, War Materials Disposal & Italian PW Sub Commission.

1. With the abolition of the Political Section, the Italian Government has become responsible for conducting its own political relations with the United Nations as well as, of course, with the neutral powers which have never ceased to be represented diplomatically in Rome. This was not only the logical result of the disappearance of the machinery through which the Allied Commission acted in some degree as the mouthpiece of the Italian Government in its foreign relations but was also intended to be a further step forward in the establishment of normal conditions in the international sphere.

2. It presents few difficulties in the case of powers such as the United States and the Soviet Union which have already established full diplomatic relations, or the United Kingdom and France which are now in direct relations with the Italian Government. In the case, however, of countries of the United Nations which have no diplomatic relations with Italy and which have either only established Consulates-General, such as Belgium and Holland, or whose representation in Italy is limited to membership of the Advisory Council, such as Yugoslavia and Greece, the matter is not so simple.

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NORMAN E. FISKE,
Colonel,
Acting Executive Commissioner.

Copy to: Political Adviser (A)
Political Adviser (Dr.)
PRO.
Liaison Division

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Labor Sub-Commission WDB/rmw

TEL : Ext. 504 19 March 1945

REF : LSC/100M (Your Ref. AS/4.00)

SUBJECT: New Directive from Combined Chiefs of Staff - 1/20/45.

TO : Economic Section

1. Following are answers to the questions concerning Labor Sub-Commission as requested in the Economic Section minute of 16 March:

LABOR AND WAGES

Comments

19. Changes in rates of pay affecting State employees and also employees in private industry. There is close collaboration by Italian Government on proposed changes in rates of pay, etc., of State and para-statal employees.

The Armed Forces wage structure is more directly affected by changes in private industry. It is now Italian Government policy not to exercise direct control over changes in private industry wages, but to leave negotiations to representatives of industry and of the workers and to recognize resultant agreements. Representatives of industry and workers collaborate accordingly with Allied Commission but Armed Forces wage scales will be compelled to keep generally in step with wages in private industry.

20. Free transport has been agreed policy for civilian employees of Armed Forces -- a policy recently (13 March 1945) reaffirmed. The contentious point is the cost of such transport and Transportation Sub-Commission and Finance Sub-Commission are now endeavoring to allocate liability.

21. Reclaiming of bulk flour issues from Army depots is a matter for Food Sub-Commission.

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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My dear Mr. Prime Minister:

In your letter 1579½/2578 of 11 January, 1945, addressed to Local Government Sub-Commission, you referred to an inquiry from the Prefect of Florence regarding the institution of Internal Commissions in State offices and in establishments under the control of the State, and you indicated that the Italian Government does not approve the institution of such Commissions in non-industrial establishments under Government control.

This Allied Commission agrees with your view that Internal Commissions as operating in industrial establishments are not appropriate to non-industrial Government establishments. I think it opportune to mention, however, that it appears to be proper to allow freedom of organization of professional, technical, administrative and clerical Government employees for normal purposes of workers' associations. Obviously, for State employees the right to strike should be withheld and additional restrictions should be placed on members of the police and security forces.

Apart from the particular question raised by the Prefect of Florence, Allied Military Government will encounter the question of the association of Government non-industrial employees and Internal Commissions in areas now under Allied Military Government and in the North of Italy when it becomes liberated. It is desirable, therefore, that there should be agreement with the Italian Government on the policy to be observed, and I should be glad to learn the extent to which Your Excellency is in agreement with the general principles mentioned.

/s/ Ellery W. Stone
ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

His Excellency Ivanoe Bonomi
The President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome

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/s/

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Cross Reference Sheet

File: Lsc/1002

Subject: Soviet Zone Coal Output

Date: 12th March 47

To: Economic Sect.

From: Labour Sec

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APO 394
LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION

FILE

FROM : 304

REF : LSC/1002

12 March 1945

SUBJECT: Labour for 1945 Harvest.

TO : Economic Section

The question of the provision of man power to assist in gathering the harvest in 1945 was discussed with Minister Gronchi on 11th March, 1945. The Minister said that this question was at present under active consideration and that it assumed importance particularly in Puglie and Sicily. Here the available local labour was not sufficient owing to the absence of workers in the Armed Forces and as prisoners, etc. Even in normal times there was a migratory labour force which met peak needs of the harvest in various districts. Minister Gronchi recognised that the needs were met last year by the use of 16 to 18 thousand Italian soldiers and was prepared to consider advocating the same measures for 1945 if the need arose.

He was reminded of the extreme importance which the Allied authorities were bound to attach to the gathering of the Italian harvest since any shortage of food in Italy was a matter of immediate concern to the Allied authorities. He recognised this point and said that the Italian Government were, of course, no less impressed with the importance of this subject and that every step would be taken to secure a successful gathering of the harvest. He agreed that the position might be examined in conjunction with Labour Sub-Commission on 1st April, 1945.

W.H. BRAINE.

Director,
Labour Sub-Commission.

Copy to: Agricultural Sub-Commission.

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ALLIED COMMISSION
A/G 334
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel: 204

12 March, 1945.

Ref: LSC/1002

Subject: Italian Wage Decrees - Application in A.M.G. Territory.

To: Economic Section.

1. Various Decrees have been made which have the effect of granting bonuses and making other adjustments to the wages to be paid to employees in State concerns and in private industry. The question arises as to the date of application of these Decrees in A.M.G. Territory, including territory at present under A.M.G. government and territory which in future may come under A.M.G. after liberation. As matters stand now the legal position is that Decrees should be enforced in A.M.G. territory and that where such Decrees provide in the body of the text for retroactive effect to a stated date, such effect should be given. It is generally agreed, however, that this is outside the intention of the Decrees and that there should be no retroactive effect nor should Decrees be automatically applied in A.M.G. territory.

2. In the course of discussion with Minister Gronchi on 12th March, 1945, it was agreed that since the difficulty arose from the application of Decrees framed by the Italian Government, it should be remedied by new amending Decrees to be prepared. This question will be further explored by representatives of the Italian Ministries, with representatives of Finance Sub-Commission, Legal Sub-Commission and Labour Sub-Commission.

for W.Rennie

W.E. RENNIE

Director,
Labour Sub-Commission.

Copies to: Finance Sub-Commission
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Tel: 204

Ref: LSC/1002

Subject: Wages in Italian Industry. 12 March, 1945.

To: Economic Section.

1. The following points emerged from a discussion with Minister Gronchi on 12th March, 1945.

2. The policy of the Italian Government, adopted as a result of discussions with representatives of Italian industry and the Italian workers (C.G.I.L.) now provides for discussion on wage scales to take place as regards individual industries. The intention is to substitute a clearly defined basic wage scale in place of the present patchwork structure of a wage scale dating back to the collective agreements of 1942, to which numerous bonuses were added. After definition of the basic wage scale it is proposed to add a variable bonus, adjusted in accordance with the cost of living. It is not proposed to give legal effect to these new wage agreements but to rely upon the voluntary acceptance of the new wage rates by all concerned. If non-compliance were prevalent other steps might have to be considered and in this connection the activities of the Italian Labour Inspectorate would be of importance.

3. This policy represents an important departure from the policy of holding wage levels and of allowing deviations only as a result of acceptance of proposals by the Italian Government and embodiment in a legal decree. In Italian administered territory there is accordingly no theoretical ceiling for wages and the only limit to wage increases is that set by the good sense of the negotiating parties and the influence exercised by the Government, should appeal be made to it in the course of negotiations.

4. In view of this new policy there appears to be little purpose in submitting new wage agreements made in Italian Government territory to Allied Commission for approval, unless those wage agreements are of national application or are of application at any particular point inside A.M.G. territory.

5. The position inside A.M.G. territory remains, however, as before, viz., that variations in wage agreements, proposed after negotiation between interested parties, must be approved by A.M.G. Such proposals are registered by the Labour Offices (Italian State Offices) and would be submitted to A.M.G. for approval by the Labour Officers. The question naturally arises whether Regional Commissioners in A.M.G. or Labour Sub-Commission at A.F.H.Q. Headquarters would be able to refer to any yardstick or measure to assist in deciding whether the proposed increases should be granted. The Armed Forces wage scale would in itself be a guide only as to prevalent conditions in liberated Italy as a whole and could be held as a rigid ceiling to be applied to new proposals, since the Armed Forces wage scale in its turn is expected to keep in step with developments in the wage structure in private industry. The proposal which has voluntary been adopted by agreement with the Italian
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Government for the attachment of employers' and workers' representatives, together with representatives of the Italian Government, while serving in an advisory or consultative capacity on wages or industrial issues, will provide an Advisory Committee to which questions of doubt could be referred. This proposal should be developed in conjunction with Finance Sub-Commission and Industry Sub-Commission.

6. It is relevant to report that the Italian Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour have apparently completed its proposals for the operation of Uffici del Lavoro which will be communicated after agreement with the workers' representatives (C.G.I.L.) These proposals are understood to include the establishment of a Standing Advisory Council, comprised of representatives of Industry and Labour which besides advising on the operation of the Uffici del Lavoro would be available for discussion on general questions of wage policy.

W.F. Marris

W.F. MARRIS.

Director,
Labour Sub-Commission.

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

Lt/1002

9 March 1945

SUBJECT: Wages fixed by decree of the Prefecture of Foggia.

TO : Mr.W.H. BRAINE
Director, Labour Sub-Commission, AC

Following my interview with Mr.Jacha and Mr. Di Fede as well as your letter of 23 Jan. 1945, I inform you that this Ministry did not fail to require in due time opportune explanations concerning the system adopted by the Prefect of Foggia in fixing workers' wages.

In regards to the above question I inform you that the former system has been done away with and that in conformity with the democratic principles, workers' wages are fixed by labour contracts stipulated by the free Associations of workers and employers.

The new system is confirmed by the recent stipulation of two Labour contracts in the Foggia Provincial Labour Office. One contract concerned fixed salaried whereas the other concerned agricultural labourers. Both contracts have been agreed upon by the representatives of the Labour Chamber, by the Provincial Federation of agricultural workers of Capitanate as well as by the Agricultural Association of Capitanate.

THE UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE
FOR LABOUR

(signed)

Enrico Paresce

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Ministero dell'Industria,
del Commercio e del Lavoro

Direz.Gen.del Lavoro - Div.III^

Prot.N. 1488/J33/4 Allegati

Roma 5 Marzo 1945

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Al Mr.W.H.BRAINE
Direttore della Labor Sub-Commission - Commissione Alleata - ROMA

Risposta all'f. N.
del

OGGETTO : Salari fissati con decreto del Prefetto di Foggia.

In relazione all'incontro avuto con il Magg. Sachs e con il sig. Di Fede della Sottocommissione del lavoro e alla Sua gradita lettera del 23 gennaio scorso, Le comunico che questo Ministero non mancò a suo tempo di richiedere gli opportuni chiarimenti in merito al sistema adottato in provincia di Foggia di far fissare i salari operai con decreto del Prefetto.

Al riguardo posso ora dirLe che è stato ormai abbandonato il sistema prima adottato, e che in conformità ai principi democratici le condizioni salariali dei lavoratori vengono determinate con contratti di lavoro stipulati dalle libere Associazioni dei datori di lavoro e dei prestatori d'opera.

Una conferma del nuovo sistema è data dalla recente stipulazione presso l'Ufficio Provinciale del lavoro di Foggia, di due contratti di lavoro rispettivamente per i salariati fissi e per i braccianti agricoli, i quali sono stati concordati dai rappresentanti della Camera del Lavoro, della Federazione Provinciale dei lavoratori della terra di Capitanata e della Associazione Agraria della Capitanata.

Con cordiali saluti.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

WEB/rmw

TEL : Ext. 404

6 March 1945

SUBJECT: Procedure for Wage Adjustment

Sir:

I refer to your letter of 29 January concerning the above subject.

It is understood that you make the following proposals for wage adjustment agreements covering employees both in Italian Government and AMG territories:

(1) The Regional Labor Office will submit wage agreements to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor for approval;

(2) If AMG territory is involved the agreement will be referred to Allied Commission for approval.

The above proposals are accepted by Allied Commission.

Yours very truly,

W. H. MAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

H.E. Giovanni Gronchi
Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labor
Italian Government
Rome

cc: Legal Sub-Commission
Finance Sub-Commission
Chief of Staff
Economic Section

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will you please personally clear this with Francis, Legal, Civil Affairs and Agriculture then fix terms of a reply, which I should like to be in hand from you by Monday 7/6/45

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel. 478809

REF. : LSC/1002

21 February 1945

SUBJECT : Wage Agreements in Territory under A.M.G. and Italian Government.

TO : W.H. BRAINE,
Director, Labour Sub-Commission.

1. Minister Gronchi's letter dated 29 January, 1945 was not very clear as to the procedure desired by the Italian Government with respect to wage agreements in territory which is partly under A.M.G. and partly under Italian administration.

2. I discussed the contents of this letter with Dr. Gra, who prepared it for the Minister's signature.

3. The cities of Naples and Foggia are under Allied jurisdiction but these provinces are under Italian administration. The territory of Ascoli is in part under Allied jurisdiction and in part under the Italian Government. When the regional labour offices in Naples, Foggia and Ascoli help to negotiate a wage agreement they do not have the authority to include in such agreements employees who work in those cities. Minister Gronchi is, therefore, asking for the following procedure to be followed:

(a) Director of the Regional Labour Office will submit wage agreements to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour for approval.

(b) The Ministry will refer the agreement to the Allied Commission for consideration and approval if territory under Allied authority is involved.

(c) If the Ministry approves the agreement they will notify the Regional Labour Office. If A.C. approves it they will notify their Regional Labour Officers.

4. This procedure is intended to obtain uniformity of practice in A.M.G. territory and in Italian administered territory. I believe the request to be reasonable and should meet with our approval.

Joseph Di Fede

JOSEPH DI FEDE
Labour Relations Adviser

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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19 February 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. SACHS

Sometime ago letters came in from Prime Minister Bonomi and Minister Gronchi's secretary regarding the application of wage agreements affecting territory under AMG and Italian administration respectively. Will you please trace these letters and state the present position?

W. H. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

WHB/ac

5 February 1945

REF : LSC/407/1002

SUBJECT: Procedure for Wage Adjustments.

TO : Mr. Sachs.

1. Will you please consider the subject-matter in the attached letter from Minister Gronchi dated 29 January 1945.

2. The suggestion appears to be reasonable in principle for, as I understand, the Minister is anxious to obtain uniformity of practice in AMG territory and in Italian administered territory; and is also anxious to arrange that the announcements and the application be made simultaneously in both territories.

3. I should be glad if, in framing your observations, you would state whether it is a fact that wage adjustment agreements must be forwarded by the Regional Labour Offices to higher authority for approval. Does this mean that if agreement is reached between properly accredited representatives of both sides of industry, the agreements cannot take effect until higher authority has approved them; and if so, who is the higher authority and in what form is the approval given.

4. Please also comment on the wage adjustment in Naples to which reference is made.

5. Does the proposal mean that Regional Labour Offices in AMG territory should be requested to seek approval of the Italian Ministry of Labour to local wage adjustments.

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W. H. BRAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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Relation Letter

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY
COMMERCE AND LABOUR

Rome, 29 January 1945

SUBJECT: Procedure for wage adjustments

TO : Labour Sub-Commission , A.C.

1. As it is well known, there are actually two procedures to be followed in proposing wage adjustments according to whether such adjustments must be applied in A.M.G. Territory or in Italian administered territory.

2. Sometimes it may happen that Regional Labour Offices must forward to the competent authorities, for approval, wage adjustment agreements which must be applied contemporaneously in A.M.G. territory and in Italian administered territory.

This is the case of the wage adjustment agreements that are to be effective in Naples and province.

3. In cases such as mentioned in the above paragraph No. 2, it is believed opportune that the approval be given, subject to, prior agreement between this Ministry and the A.M.G. If the Allied Commission agrees with such point of view, it could be established that the aforementioned wage agreements be forwarded by the Labour Offices to this Ministry in order to reach the mentioned agreements.

THE MINISTER

Signed Cronchi

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Roma 29 gennaio 1945

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MINISTERO INDUSTRIA COMMERCIO E LAVORO
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Div.II^ - Serv.Contr.Uff. Lav.

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Risposta al foglio N.^
del

Alla Commissione Alleata
Sottocommissione Lavoro
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OGGETTO Procedura per attuazione modifiche salariali.

1.- Com'è noto, sono attualmente in vigore due distinte procedure per la presentazione di proposte relative a perequazioni salariali a seconda che tali perequazioni debbano trovare applicazione in territori sotto l'amministrazione del Governo italiano o sotto il controllo dell'A.M.G.

2.- Può però talvolta verificarsi il caso che gli Uffici regionali del lavoro debbano inoltrare alla competente Autorità, per l'approvazione, accordi di perequazioni salariali che debbono trovare contemporanea applicazione in territorio sottoposto all'amministrazione italiana ed in territorio sotto il controllo dell'A.M.G. E' questo il caso degli accordi che devono avere vigore per Napoli e provincia.

3.- Per i casi di cui al precedente n. 2 si riterrebbe opportuno che l'approvazione sia data previo concerto fra questo Ministero e l'A.M.G. Se codesta Commissione Alleata concorda su tale punto di vista, si potrebbe stabilire che gli accordi in parola siano rimessi dagli Uffici del lavoro al Ministero perchè si addivenga alle occorrenti intese.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

TEL : Ext. 904

LSC/1002

18 February 1945

Dear Sig. Grocchi:

There are various matters on which I should be glad to have an interview with you, and in order to give you an opportunity of considering them I set them out as follows:

(1) Administration on Labor and Social Questions in Northern Italy.

During the period when this territory remains under Allied Military Government immediately after liberation, it will be necessary to administer various civil questions, particularly those affecting workers and unemployed. You will no doubt agree that it will facilitate the smooth transition from Allied Military Government to Italian Government administration if we can agree on the system to be applied at the earliest moment.

One particular point is the establishment of labor offices. I know that this links up with your general policy on these Offices, but if you are unable to announce that policy at the moment I should be grateful if you could indicate your opinions as regards AMG territory in the North. Associated questions are collaboration with Camere del Lavoro, trade unions, etc. The question arises whether use should be made, or could be made, of such records, premises and personnel as may be left behind by the Fascist regime. Similarly, on the subject of appointment of personnel by the Allied Military Government to operate such offices as may be set up, it would be very useful if you could give some indication of your views, even perhaps suggesting particular individuals for responsible positions. I am sure you will appreciate that I cannot guarantee that the military authorities will necessarily comply with your wishes.

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There may be some trade union leaders or responsible persons for whom you can vouch, who will have escaped to Switzerland and whose return to the territory where they are known and respected might be of

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considerable assistance. Full consideration will be given to any suggestions you may make on this subject.

The question of wage rates to be observed in Northern Italy, and the application of agreements in force in liberated Italy will also be a matter for consideration.

(2) Consultation with Representatives of Employers and Workers.

You may remember that I have already mentioned to you in conversation the usefulness of regular consultation with representatives of employers and workers. I should like to bring to your notice that in Great Britain there is a National Joint Consultative Committee composed of such representatives, presided over by the Minister of Labor, which meets regularly and considers questions referred from various interests on labor relations and legislation. If we could discuss this point I should welcome an expression of your opinion on this system.

(3) Labor Legislation.

May I remind you of my interest in this subject and say that I should be very glad to know of the progress which may be made in the preparation of such legislation.

Perhaps you may be prepared to discuss only one of the above subjects separately without necessarily covering the whole field in one interview.

Yours very truly,

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P. H. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

H. E. Giovanni Gronchi
Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labor
Italian Government
Rome

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 534
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

TRANSLATION

26 Febbraio 1945

Caro Sig. Grossbi:

Vi sono diverse questioni circa le quali sarei felice di avere un colloquio con V.S., ed affine di permettervi di studiarle, ne segue un'esposto:

(1) Amministrazione di Questioni di Lavoro e Questioni Sociali in Italia Settentrionale.

Nel periodo durante il quale questo territorio rimane sotto Governo Militare Alleato, facendo seguito immediato alla liberazione, occorrera' amministrare varie faccende di carattere civile, specialmente quelle riguardanti lavoratori e disoccupati. Indubbiamente convorrete che ci volera' il facile trapasso dal Governo Militare Alleato all'Amministrazione del Governo Italiano se possiamo convenire sul sistema da applicarsi al piu' presto possibile.

Un punto particolare e' lo stabilire gli Uffici del Lavoro. So che questo si collega alla Vostra politica generale su questi Uffici, ma se non siete in grado di annunciare quella politica sul momento, Vi sarei grato se potreste indicarmi le Vostre opinioni circa il territorio sotto Governo Militare Alleato nel Nord. Questioni collegate a quella sono: la collaborazione con le Camere del Lavoro, Sindacati, ecc. Sorge la questione se si dovrebbe o potrebbe fare uso di registri, locali e personale che potrebbero essere stati lasciati dal Regime Fascista. Ugualmente, sulla questione dell'assunzione di personale da parte del Governo Militare Alleato per il funzionamento degli Uffici che potrebbe essere stabiliti, saremmo assai utile se potreste dare quale indicazione del Vostro parere, anche indicando certe persone per i posti di fiducia. Sono sicuro che apprezzerete il fatto che non posso garantire che le Autorita' Militari aderiranno necessariamente ai Vostri desideri.

Vi potranno essere alcuni dirigenti di Sindacati o persone di fiducia per i quali Voi potrete testimoniare, i quali saranno fuggiti in Isvizzera ed il loro ritorno in territorio dove sono conosciuti e rispettati potrebbe essere di notevole aiuto. Qualsiasi proposta da Voi fatta sara' dovutamente presa in considerazione.

La questione di salari da osservarsi in Italia Settentrionale e l'applicazione di accordi in vigore nell'Italia liberata saranno anche oggetto di considerazione.

(2) Consultazione con Rappresentanti di Datori di Lavoro e Lavoratori.

Vi ricordere forse che Vi ho gia' accennato durante i nostri colloqui, l'utilita' di consultazione regolare con rappresentanti di datori di lavoro

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e lavoratori. Vorrei richiamare la Vostra attenzione al fatto che nella Gran Bretagna esiste un dimitato Unito Consultivo Nazionale composto di simili rappresentanti, presieduto dal Ministro del Lavoro, che si riunisce regolarmente e delibera sulle questioni riguardanti diversi interessi circa rapporti del lavoro e legislazione. Se potessimo discutere su questo punto, l'espressione della Vostra opinione su questo sistema sarebbe ben accetta.

(3) Legislazione del Lavoro.

Mi permetto di ricordarvi il mio interesse su questo argomento e di dirvi che sarei molto lieto di conoscere il progresso che potrà essere effettuato nella preparazione di tale legislazione.

Forse sarete pronto a discutere su uno soltanto degli oggetti di cui sopra, separatamente, senza necessariamente volervi estendere su tutto il campo durante un colloquio.

Cordiali saluti,

W. H. BRAINE
Direttore della
Sottocommissione del Lavoro.

S.E. Giovanni Gronchi
Ministro dell'Industria, Commercio e Lavoro
Governo Italiano,
Roma.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel. 478809

REF. : LSC/1002

21 February 1945

SUBJECT : Wage Agreements in Territory under A.M.G. and Italian Government.

TO : W.E. BRAINE,
Director, Labour Sub-Commission.

1. Minister Gronchi's letter dated 29 January, 1945 was not very clear as to the procedure desired by the Italian Government with respect to wage agreements in territory which is partly under A.M.G. and partly under Italian administration.

2. I discussed the contents of this letter with Dr. Gra, who prepared it for the Minister's signature.

3. The cities of Naples and Foggia are under Allied jurisdiction but these provinces are under Italian administration. The territory of Ascoli is in part under Allied jurisdiction and in part under the Italian Government. When the regional labour offices in Naples, Foggia and Ascoli help to negotiate a wage agreement they do not have the authority to include in such agreements employees who work in these cities. Minister Gronchi is, therefore, asking for the following procedure to be followed:

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(a) Director of the Regional Labour Office will submit wage agreements to the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour for approval.

(b) The Ministry will refer the agreement to the Allied Commission for consideration and approval if territory under Allied authority is involved.

(c) If the Ministry approves the agreement they will notify the Regional Labour Office. If A.C. approves it they will notify their Regional Labour Officers.

4. This procedure is intended to obtain uniformity of practice in A.M.G. territory and in Italian administered territory. I believe the request to be reasonable and should meet with our approval.

JOSEPH DI FEDE
Labour Relations Adviser

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

"HB/rmm"

TEL : Ext. 204

REF : LSC/1002 (Your Ref: EC/7.16) 19 February 1945

SUBJECT: Contacts with Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor.

TO : Mr. Marion Cleveland
Executive Director
Economic Section

1. Reference is made to your minute of 14 February 1945, on the above subject.

2. Discussions will shortly be held with Minister Gronchi on the following subjects:

(a) Labor Offices -- continuance or modification.

(b) Italian civilian personnel for Labor Offices or labor questions in the North -- previous earmarking.

(c) Advisability of establishing permanent, national, consultative committees with industry and labor; (instead of ad hoc discussions).

(d) Some form of control and direction of civilian labor.

(e) Handling of strikes and threatened trade disputes.

3. These matters will be touched upon informally in the first instance and reports will be rendered to Economic Section. If it is thought advisable to raise questions at the Interministerial Committee for Reconstruction, you will be advised and briefing memoranda prepared beforehand.

H. H. BRAINE
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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ALLIED COMMISSION
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LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

SECRET

10 February 1945

REF : LSC/301

SUBJECT: Meeting at Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour on 17 February 1945.

TO : Economic Section.

An important conference was held at the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour at 6 P.M. Saturday 17 February 1945. Minister Gronchi presided, and there were present:-

Employers
Ing. Frigeri, President of the National Confederation of Italian Industry,
Avv. Tosoano,
and others representing Industry and Commerce;

Workers
Sig. Grandi, (Joint Secretaries of the C.G.I.L.)
Sott. Lizzadri
and others representing workers;

Allied Commission
Mr. W. H. Braine, Director of Labour Sub-Commission.

1. The purpose of the meeting was to consider claims by the workers for immediate adjustment of wages to endeavour to meet the rising cost of living.

The conclusion of the meeting was that immediate negotiations should be opened for revision of existing wage agreements, such revision to take effect from 15 February 1945.

2. The workers' representatives presented their case with restraint. They asked for some clarification of the confused wage structure which at present starts with the wage agreements enforced in September 1942, to which are added innumerable bonuses and indemnities.

They asked for the fixing of a minimum rate to which should be added a variable cost-of-living bonus on a sliding scale to keep pace with costs. They recognised that it was as much to their interests as to the interests of the Nation and of employers not to ruin particular industries by insisting upon the granting of exorbitant demand, but they came to

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discharge the responsibility placed upon them at the National Congress of Naples, to negotiate for an improvement of the appalling conditions of the workers.

3. Minister Cronchi said that he recognised that the retention of the out of date basic rates and the addition of uniform bonuses had put out of balance the relative positions of professional men, technicians, skilled and unskilled workers. He thought that a minimum rate should not be sought but a definition of a new basic rate for various classes with variations according to locality, industry, individual efficiency, and a recognition of a period of service.

4. The employers pointed out that some industries were reaching the end of their resources. They had tried to avoid raising price levels, but in order to meet rising wages costs, they had drawn upon their reserves; they had been unable to make provision for replacements and renewals of plant, and their operations were declining.

5. Minister Cronchi intervened to repeat that increased wages costs should not be passed on to consumers in the form of increased prices, this would start the inevitable spiral.

The employers pointed out that, for example, the banks could see no more resources from which to draw costs of further wage increases. They admitted, however, that some industries, in a better position than others, could do something.

The workers' representatives asked for a frank disclosure of the financial position to properly accredited representatives of the workers in each industry or establishment who, they said, would be the first to recognise when the limit was reached. The employers did not take kindly to this suggestion.

Minister Cronchi receded somewhat from his first firm pronouncement and conceded that in some industries, prices might have to be raised. He pleaded for a restriction as far as possible in order to avoid a corresponding increase in prices to meet the total cost of increase of wages.

6. The workers' representatives undertook to restrain [illegible] demands put forward by the workers and to endeavour to act in an atmosphere of reality. With this cooperative approach on their part, they requested the employers to be equally considerative of the workers' representations in the course of negotiations for adjustments of wage agreements.

The employers said they would be prepared to negotiate with responsible workers' representatives such as the Camera del Lavoro, etc. They said they would object strongly to discuss these questions with the Internal Commissions (Workers' Committees). The C.G.I.L. said they equally recognised that such matters were outside the scope of Internal Commissions and had already stated as much clearly to all concerned.

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7. The position was summed up by Minister Gronchi, who said that it was clear that all were agreed that something must be done to improve workers' conditions and that the present pay-and-work wage structure must be put in better order so that further discussion on wage adjustments could be on a sounder basis than the continual adding of bonuses.

On the question of payment of wage increases, he repeated his request for an avoidance of price increases as far as possible. He asked all concerned to negotiate on the basis of this general agreement in the most cooperative spirit and received assurances from both sides that this would be done.

8. A word must be said of the presence of the representative of the Allied Commission. It has not been the practice for Allied Commission to attend as observer or in a more active capacity, and this had lead to misunderstandings when invitations had been announced.

It was recently agreed that the Allied Commission should be invited to attend discussions but since that agreement, it has been known that meetings have been held to which Allied Commission was not invited. Suitable representations had been made, and this is the first occasion on which a representative has been invited to attend.

Mr. J. P. Braine, Director of Labour Sub-Commission, informed the meeting that he was present representing Allied Commission in a dual capacity: in the first place the Allied Forces, in respect of its Italian civilian employees, was the largest single employer of labour in Italy, and was naturally interested in wage discussions, secondly, a considerable portion of liberated Italy was still under Allied Military Government, which was therefore concerned with anything affecting conditions of workers in all industries.

Minister Gronchi and representatives of both sides were generous in their appreciation of the presence of the Director, and expressed the hope that his attendance would be possible on future occasions. Mr. Braine said that Allied Commission would keep in close contact on these wages issues and recognised the impact of any changes upon the Allied Force wage scales. He reminded them that the military machine could not move take to keep exactly in step with the scales of the payments particularly where retrospective effect was given, but he assured the meeting of Allied Commission's desire to be helpful and cooperative.

J. P. BRAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

Copies to: Brigadier McKinley
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Mr. Merlin Cleveland
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Finance Sub-Commission
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Chief Commissioner
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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Cross Reference Sheet

File: LSC/1002

Subject: Inspection of firms doing work for Allied Forces

Date: 15 Feb. 45

To: H.E. The Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

From: Mr. W.H. Braine Director

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LABOUR SUB-COMMISSION

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Tel.489081
15 February 1945

REF. : LSC/205

SUBJECT: Inspection of firms doing work for Allied Forces.

TO : W.B. BRAINE, Director Labour Sub-Commission

1. I have discussed the contents of Minister Cronchi's letter dated 8 February, 1945 with Major Zelner and Major Robertson of Commerce Sub-Commission and with Major Eydens and Dr. C' Patowsky of Industry Sub-Commission.

2. No instructions have been issued by these Sub-Commissions to their officers in Leori and Taranto advising them not to allow inspections by the Ispettorato. Furthermore they have no information that such inspections have been refused.

3. Commerce Sub-Commission has no objection to inspections of the firm of Bernardo and Lorenzo Benfi in Leori (Silk Factory) and Industry Sub-Commission has no objection to inspections of the S.A.P.I.C. firm in Taranto (Oil Refinery). Their respective officers in Leori and Taranto will be notified to allow such inspections.

JOSEPH DI FEDE
Labour Relations Adviser

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE
AND LABOUR

Rome, 8 Febr 45

SUBJECT : Inspection of firms doing work for Allied Armed Forces.

TO : Labour Sub-Commission A.C.

Reference is made to your letter dated 21 September 1945 subject as above.

I inform you that the attached organisations of the Ispettorato dell'Industria e del Lavoro have communicated that they have not found any particular difficulty in conducting inspections in firms doing work for the Allied Armed Forces.

No request has ever been made for the inspection of firms requisitioned by the Allied Armed Forces. On the other hand the inspectors of the above mentioned Ispettorato have believed it not necessary to inspect the aforementioned firms since they are under the direct control of the Allied Forces.

It is to be borne in mind that the Ispettorato of Reggio Calabria has communicated of having been unable to conduct the inspection of the Bernardo & Lorenzo Banfi firm in Locri since the Allied Silk Control Office of Reggio Calabria prohibited the admittance to the firm unless duly authorized by the A.C.

Likewise the Ispettorato of Bari has stated of having been unable to conduct the inspection of the S.A.F.I.O. establishment in Taranto for the same reason. This establishment, which produce oxigen, is not requisitioned but works on contract for the Allies.

THE MINISTER 6057

Cronchi

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Cross Reference Sheet

File: LSC/1002

Subject: Allied Force Local Rec. (Ital.) Board Participation by Italian Govt.

Date: 14 Feb. 45

To: Labour Sec

From: Economic Sect.

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Tel:5/38 HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION APO 794 [illegible] CTA/AAI
BOOKING SECTION

Ref: BC/1.01 10 February 1943

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Correspondence

TO : Agriculture Sub-Commission
"Censorship "
Finance "
Food "
Industry "
Labor "
P.W. & U. "
Transportation "

The Chief of Staff has laid down the following ruling for the handling of correspondence handed to AC by Italian Government officials for transmission to officials in Axis territory:

"Once even the communication is for an Italian official in T or P Army area it will be opened and if it relates any matter on which CMAG might wish to exercise a discretion a translation will be enclosed. If no such question arises and the communication is purely formal, a translation need not be enclosed but the covering minute will state that the letter was purely formal and may be safely be forwarded".

By order of Colonel [illegible]:

K.W. Atkinson Lieut.

G. W. ATKINS, Capt. S.A.
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Roma, 8/2 1945

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Ministero delle Corporazioni

Direz.Gen.del Lavoro - Div.VI°

Pos.N° 166/ A.G.13 Allegati

OGGETTO: Organizzazione servizio collocamento. -

Al Sig.T.H. BRAINE - Direttore
Sottocommissione del Lavoro -
COMMISSIONE ALLEATA -
= R O M A =

Rispostaal f° N°
del

In risposta alla Sua lettera del 24 gennaio u.s., la informo che questa Direzione à preso in attento esame l'Indice delle Classifiche Professionali predisposte da codesta Sottocommissione.

Dall'esame stesso è risultata confermata l'opportunità di fare adottare il detto indice anche per la registrazione dei lavoratori italiani, al fine di agevolare il loro collocamento, secondo criteri ben definiti ed uniformi.

Tenuto le attuali condizioni, sia quelle di ordine generale, come e soprattutto quelle particolari delle attività produttive nazionali, ora quasi al completo paralizzate e senza che possa prevedersi quando esse potranno essere riattivate, e che sono subordinate alla liberazione del restante della nazione, tutte queste circostanze fanno ritenere conveniente per il momento, di sopprassedere alla adozione dell'Indice in questione.

Esso sarà tenuto presente e sarà nuovamente oggetto di particolare attenzione di questa Direzione Generale, non appena le suddette condizioni, facciano riconoscere la tempestività della sua adozione.

Ricambio i graditi saluti.

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(dott. Simeone Pr.)
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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

General Labour Direction

Rome, 8 February 45

SUBJECT: Organisation of Employment Service

TO : Mr. W.H. BRAINE
Director Labour Sub-Commission A.C.
R o m e

This is in reply to your letter dated 24 January 1945. I inform you that this direction has attentively examined the Index of Professional Classifications established by the Labour Sub-Commission.

The adoption of the aforementioned index is also opportune for the registration of Italian workers in order to facilitate their employment according to well defined and uniform criteria.

But owing to the general and particular conditions of the national productive activities, actually paralysed and subordinate to the liberation of the rest of Italy, it would seem advisable to temporarily delay the adoption of the aforementioned index.

The index will be borne in mind and it will be promptly brought to main attention as soon as circumstances claim its immediate adoption.

Best regards

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Signed Dr. SIMONE
Acting Director

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A.C. 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

NRS : LSC/308 /1002 9 Febbraio 1945

OGGETTO: Assicurazione per gli Agricoltori - No. di Prot. 319.

A : S.E. il Ministro Gronchi.

Eccellenza,

Con questa accuso la ricevuta della Sua lettera e delle informazioni circa l'assicurazione per gli agricoltori. Una risposta completa verra' inviata alla Sua comunicazione non appena sara' possibile.

Cordiali saluti,

W. M. BRAINE

W. M. BRAINE
Direttore della
Sottocommissione del Lavoro.

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

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File: LSC/4072

Subject: Procedure for Wage Adjustments

Date: 5 February 1945

To: Mr. Sachs

From: Mr. W. H. Braine

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LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Cross Reference Sheet

File: LSC/1002

Subject: Cost of bread - Substitution of economic price for politically subsidized price.

Date: 4 Feb 1945

To: Col. L. D. Densmore

From: Mr W. H. Braine

Documents Filed: LSC/1204 & 18

Translation

~~Prefetto~~

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Ministry of Industry, Commerce
and Labour

General Direction of Social and Private
Insurance - 1st Division

Circular N. 389
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TO : Labour Regional and Provincial Offices

and for information

TO : Their Excellencies the Prefects of the Kingdom.

: Servizio per gli Elenchi nominativi dei lavoratori e per i contributi unificati in agricoltura - Roma.

SUBJECT : Ascertaining of the agricultural workers for granting social insurance benefits.

By means of a provision to be issued, the ascertainment of the agricultural workers for the preparation of the lists of names of those entitled to assistancial and social insurance benefits is entrusted to Communal Commissions composed by the mayor or by an alderman by the former delegated with the functions of president, by an employers' representative and by an agricultural employees' representative, appointed by the mayor after consultation with the local respective organizations, with the assistance of the director of the local agricultural employment office or in case of non existence of said office, by the director of the employment office of the neighbouring commune and by the commune secretary or by an official by him delegated.

The task of the communal commissions is particularly important and delicate, because they have to eleiminate, by working carefully and objectively, the inconveniences of the past due to the wrong preparation of the list of the names of the workers and they shall give to the entitled workers the benefits..

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To this work of revision and elimination of errors must concour the directors of the employment offices by supplying the communal commissions the data resulting from registers held in their offices and their knowledge of the workers and their situation. The provincial labour offices w will call the attantion of the directors of the employment offices on the opportunity of an active collaboration with the other members of communal commissions for the accurate fulfilment of the work, asking if necessary, to the mayors the meeting of the commissions with the urgency and as often as

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it is required and furnishing all data in their possession in order to make an exact and precise ascertainment of each agricultural workers's situation.

The directors of the labour provincial offices must also contact the provincial " Uffici per gli elenchi dei lavoratori a per i contributi unificati dell'agricoltura" in order to follow and stimulate the work of the communal Commission for a prompt and exact fulfilment of the work instructed to them.

I will be grateful if you will comply with above.

THE MINISTER
Grenchi

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE
AND LABOR

Prot. N. 319 February 2, 1945

SUBJECT: Instructions for Prefects concerning ascertainment of agricultural workers for year 1944-45.

TO : Allied Commission

We herewith enclose copy of the letter dated January 5, 1945 which has been sent to all Prefects and copy of instructions sent to Communal Commissions in order to ascertain agricultural workers for agricultural year 1944-45.

We beg the Allied Commission to examine whether the above mentioned instructions are to be applied to those provinces which have not yet been handed over to the Italian Government.

THE MINISTER
Signed GRONCHI

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Roma 2 [illegible] 1945

Ministero del Commercio e del Lavoro
Ispettorato Corporativo
Div.I^
Gen.Prev.e Ass.Private
Ad N° 319 Allegati

Alla Commissione Alleata
Sottocommissione Lavoro
ROMA
Via Vittorio Veneto, 7

Rispondere al foglio N°
del

OGGETTO: Istruzioni ai Prefetti per l'accertamento dei lavoratori agricoli per l'anno agrario 1944-45.-

Si unisce copia della lettera in data 5 gennaio 1945 inviata ai Prefetti delle singole Provincie, con allegate le istruzioni da impartire alle Commissioni Comunali per l'accertamento dei lavoratori agricoli per l'anno agrario 1944-45.

Codesta Commissione Alleata vorrà esaminare l'opportunità di portare dette istruzioni a conoscenza anche di quelle provincie che non sono state ancora restituire all'Amministrazione del Governo Italiano.

IL MINISTRO

Carl./ms.

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE
AND LABOR

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MINISTERO DELL'INDUSTRIA, DEL COMMERCIO E DEL LAVORO

Direzione generale della previdenza e delle assicurazioni private

Prot. N. 83 - Div. 1ª

Roma, 5 gennaio 1945

OGGETTO: **Accertamento dei lavoratori agricoli per l'anno agrario 1944-45.**

Alle LL. EE. i Prefetti del Regno

A seguito del telegramma in data 11 novembre u. s. n. 442 s'inviano le unite istruzioni riguardanti le operazioni che le apposite Commissioni comunali sono chiamate a compiere per l'accertamento dei lavoratori agricoli relativamente all'anno agrario 1944-45.

Tali istruzioni dovranno, da parte delle Prefetture, essere trasmesse in copia ai Sindaci delle rispettive provincie, presidenti di dette Commissioni.

Si prospetta la necessità che da parte delle Prefetture sia esercitata un'assidua vigilanza sul funzionamento delle Commissioni, perchè il lavoro ad esse affidato sia svolto con la massima obiettività, esattezza e sollecitudine, evitando in particolare le indebite inclusioni o esclusioni di lavoratori negli elenchi, la errata attribuzione di categoria e la inesatta valutazione del numero di giornate di lavoro a ciascuno attribuite.

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MINISTERO DELL'INDUSTRIA, DEL COMMERCIO E DEL LAVORO

Direzione generale della previdenza e delle assicurazioni private

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L'accertamento dei lavoratori agricoli che le Commissioni comunali sono chiamate a compiere, deve essere eseguito con la massima cura ed obiettività in considerazione sia dello scopo cui esso tende (erogazione delle prestazioni assicurative e assistenziali agli aventi diritto), sia dei riflessi che esso viene ad avere sull'onere contributivo gravante sull'economia agricola.

Le Commissioni comunali dovranno pertanto curare — in particolare — che siano evitate le indebite esclusioni ed inclusioni di lavoratori agricoli negli elenchi nominativi, la errata attribuzione di categoria e la inesatta valutazione del numero di giornate di lavoro a ciascuno attribuite.

L'accertamento deve effettuarsi secondo le norme stabilite dal R. D. 24-9-1940, n. 1949.

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Per stabilire la categoria di appartenenza dei singoli lavoratori, le Commissioni comunali terranno innanzi tutto presente:

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b) per gli avventizi e assimilati, l'avvenuta prestazione di lavoro quali giornalieri di campagna nell'anno agrario 1943-44.

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In particolare, poi, le Commissioni dovranno seguire i seguenti criteri di massima senza però dimenticare che vi sono numerose figure di lavoratori agricoli, spesso identificate solo da particolari denominazioni locali, che dovranno essere attribuite all'una o all'altra delle categorie sopra indicate tenuto conto delle caratteristiche del rapporto di lavoro.

Salariati fissi. — Sono veri e propri salariati fissi i lavoratori vincolati per la durata di un anno e retribuiti a salario mensile.

Ai fini dell'accertamento debbono considerarsi salariati fissi anche i salariati che risultino assunti a contratto inferiore all'anno.

Per i salariati fissi a contratto inferiore all'anno (compresi i cosidetti « mesaroli »), necessita accertare e indicare l'effettivo numero di giornate di occupazione risultante dal contratto di lavoro.

Per gli appartenenti alla categoria dei salariati fissi, l'accertamento dovrà anche rilevare il sesso, la data e il Comune di nascita, la data di inizio e di cessazione del rapporto di lavoro, nonchè le generalità del datore di lavoro e la denominazione del fondo.

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Anche per gli obbligati l'accertamento dovrà rilevare il sesso, la data ed il Comune di nascita, la data di inizio e di cessazione del rapporto di lavoro, le generalità del datore di lavoro e la denominazione del fondo.

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In ordine alle giornate lavorative da accertare per i giornalieri di campagna le Commissioni comunali dovranno anche tener presente che nei riguardi del lavoro eseguito per conto di Enti statali e pubblici e di aziende esercenti attività di particolare natura, vigono i seguenti criteri:

Ai debbono essere accertate ai fini della iscrizione negli elenchi le giornate di lavoro agricolo prestato alle dipendenze di enti statali e pubblici quali: Monopoli dello Stato - Guardia nazionale forestale - Benefici parrocchiali - Istituti e Comunità religiose - Istituto della Previdenza sociale - Aziende pubbliche di allevamento quadrupedi (limitatamente al personale civile) - Parchi e ville nazionali - Opera Nazionale Combattenti - Provincie e comuni - Enti di colonizzazione - Università agrarie, etc.

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Lo stesso dicasi per le giornate di lavoro prestate dagli avventizi alle dipendenze di: Caseifici e latterie aziendali e sociali (escluso il personale addetto a macchine mosse da agenti inanimati) - Ville private per la coltivazione ed il governo dei parchi e giardini, con esclusione delle ville comprese nel catasto urbano solo per il personale domestico anche se adibito a lavori di giardinaggio - Consorzi di miglioramento e irrigazione, ecc.;

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Per i compartecipanti individuali le Commissioni dovranno indicare la data e il comune di nascita, nonchè le colture le relative superfici tenute in compartecipazione. Per i compartecipanti familiari, oltre alle generalità del titolare e dei componenti la famiglia impegnati nella

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compartecipazione, dovranno essere indicati la data e il Comune di nascita di ciascuno, le generalità del datore di lavoro, la durata del rapporto di lavoro, e la superficie delle singole colture tenute in compartecipazione.

Le risultanze degli accertamenti eseguiti nei riguardi di ciascun lavoratore, dovranno essere riportate su appositi moduli che saranno trasmessi a parte dagli uffici provinciali per i contributi agricoli unificati.

Le Commissioni comunali trasmetteranno — entro il minor tempo possibile — le risultanze degli accertamenti agli uffici provinciali anzidetti, affinchè questi possano procedere alla compilazione degli elenchi nominativi ordinari principali.

Le Commissioni comunali dovranno inoltre curare permanentemente la raccolta degli elementi riguardanti sia le variazioni da apportarsi agli elenchi nominativi ordinari principali, relativamente ai salariati fissi e assimilati, agli obbligati o braccianti fissi, ai mezzadri e coloni, e ai compartecipanti familiari, sia la cancellazione di nominativi di lavoratori di qualsiasi categoria che abbiano cessato ogni attività lavorativa in agricoltura.

Considerato che le variazioni agli elenchi ordinari principali si effettuano trimestralmente a mezzo di elenchi ordinari suppletivi, le Commissioni comunali dovranno tempestivamente trasmettere tali elementi ai predetti uffici provinciali dei contributi agricoli unificati.

Roma, 5 gennaio 1945

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOUR

General Directorate of Security and Private Insurance

DIRECTIONS TO COMMUNAL COMMISSIONS CONCERNING THE ASCERTAINMENT OF AGRICULTURAL WORKERS.

The ascertainment of agricultural workers that the Communal Commissions are called upon to put into effect, must be carried out with care and objectivity, taking into due consideration the purpose which the above mentioned ascertainment is looking for (payment of insurance and assistance indemnities) and the reflecting effects that it is bound to have on the tax-paying burden of agriculture.

Therefore the communal Commissions must take care that in the lists containing the names of Agricultural workers there should not be made undue exclusions and inclusions, and that errors concerning the attribution of the various categories and computation of working days should be avoided.

The ascertainment in question must be made according to the rules fixed in the R.D. 24-9-1940,N.1949.

For the Agrarian year 1944-45 - instead of drawing up the new lists of names of Agricultural workers, as fixed in article 12 of the above mentioned Decree - it was deamt advisable simply to complete the existing ones. Said completion must be carried out according to the data of labor contracts, as well as to those of personal labour books and to the records of agricultural workers employment offices, where they exist, as well as by taking account of the demands made by the workers for the inscription in the lists, of the declarations of employers concerning changes to be made in the lists,of the results of the appeals made to the prefects and the direct information that the Commissions will assume with respect to each worker.

According to R.D. 24.9.1940, N.1949, agricultural workers are to be classified in the following categories:

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fixed hired labourers and assimilated; obliged or fixed labourers; casual workers and assimilated; farmers and metayers; agricultural copartners.

In order to determine each worker's category, the communal Commissions must take into consideration the following:

a) They must ascertain the existence of a special employment connection at the beginning of the agricultural year 1944-45 for all workers' categories mentioned hereunder: fixed hired labourers and assimilated, obliged or fixed labourers, metayers, farmers and family copartners;

b) to ascertain as to whether during the agricultural year 1943-44, casual workers and the assimilated ones have worked in a capacity as daily land workers.

Moreover the Commissions in preforming their functions must consider the numerous categories of agricultural workers, which are often denoted only by local denominations; therefore these categories must be classified according to the special characteristics of their written or tacit employment contract.

Fixed hired labourers. For real and proper fixed hired labourers one should mean a category of workers employed by a yearly labor contract and paid by monthly wages.

As far as the above mentioned ascertainment is concerned, are to be considered as fixed labourers even the labourers engaged by contract of less than one year. With regard to fixed hired labourers engaged by a contract of less than one year duration, it is necessary to ascertain and to indicate the effective number of working days as resulting from the labor contract.

As far as the category of fixed hired labourers is concerned, it is necessary to ascertain the sex, birth--date, birth-place, the beginning and end of the labor connection, as well as the name of the employer and the denomination of the holding or of the agricultural establishment on which the work has been carried out.

Obliged or fixed labourers - To this category belong those workers to whom a certain number of working days to be performed during the year are guaranteed by a contract, according to the exigencies of their agricultural establishment. The minimum number of working days to be assigned to obliged or fixed labourers is that which has been established by collective labor contracts already in force all over

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the zone, and, whenever these contracts are expired, according to individual contracts.

For obliged labourers too, it is necessary to ascertain the sex, birth-date, birth-place, the beginning and the end of labor connection, the name of the employer and the denomination of the holding or agricultural establishment with which they are employed.

Casual workers - In this special category are to be classified all agricultural day-labourers, of whom the above mentioned Commissions shall indicate the sex, birth-date, birth-place and the number of working-days spent by each worker during the agricultural year 1943-44.

Concerning the working days to be ascertained for agricultural day-labourers, the communal Commissions shall also keep in mind that with regard to the work performed on account of public and State controlled agencies and organizations, or on account of establishments performing activities of a special character, the following criterions are to be applied:

A) The number of working days spent in agriculture, in the employ of public and State controlled agencies are to be ascertained, for the registration in the above mentioned lists, that is: State Monopolies, National Forestal Guard - Parish-properties - Religious Institutes and Communities - Institute of Social Insurance - National Parks and Villas - Public Establishments for the rearing of quadruped animals (only for civilian personnel) - National Institution for ex-service men - Provinces and Communes - Colonization Institutes, Agrarian Universities etc.

The same can be said for the working days spent by casual workers in the employ of: Cheese-factories, cooperative and Firms cheese factories and dairies (excluding the personnel attached to machines moved by inanimated agents)- Private villas for the tillage of parks and gardens, excluding the villas comprised in the urban cadastre and including all-work personnel, even if it is attached to garden'work - Land-improvement and irrigation Unions, etc.

B) Are not to be ascertained, instead, the working days spent by casual workers in the employ of establishments (Firms), which are paying direct the levies due to Institutes and Agencies dealing with compulsory insurance and social

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aid. The Firms in question are: Industrial and Commercial Firms for the piking of fruits and the harvesting of other agricultural produce; Industrial and Commercial Firms for the choice and packing of fruit and vegetable produce; Industrial and Commercial Firms for the gathering of table grapes; Industrial Firms making wine with their own produce; Industrial Firms for the operation of oil-pressers; Industrial Firms for the gathering and shelling of pine-seeds; Non-agricultural Firms for thorearing of thoroughbred horses; Non-agricultural Firms for the rearing of fur-animals; Industrial Firms for the cutting and reduction of plants, as well as for the carbonisation and transportation of the same; Tourist Associations for gardening and similar works; Real-estate Companies for land-improvement works; Union among agricultural producers; Cheese and dairy factories and cooperatives and agricultural Firms for the operation of oil-pressers, etc., for the personnel attached to machines moved by inanimated agents; Land-improvement Unions; cooperative and similar agencies for the manipulation of agricultural produce, etc.

Farmers and metayers - In this category are to be classified the real and proper inetayage (such as it exists in Tuscany, Marche, Umbria and Emily) and the produce-sharing colony system (largely spread in a few regions of Central and Southern Italy). Instead, it is to be excluded the simple agricultural copartnership, which, as it will be seen later on, is classified in another category. Moreover, the distinction between a profit-sharing system and a real and proper agricultural copartnership is not always easy to be done. Taking account of the fact that from the standpoint of social legislation, the profit-sharing agriculturists are considered as metayers, whereas agricultural copartnership workers are dealt with as land day-labourers, it may be suggested, as a principle that in cases of doubt, whenever it is a question of a contract of many years duration with the use of stocks and capital supplied by the worker, we have a produce-sharing colony; and whenever we are in the presence of one year contract, with no contributing share of stocks and capital on the part of the worker, we have a simple copartnership transaction.

Both for metayage and profit sharing families, the communal Commissions must declare the generalities of the

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titular, the generalities and sex of the members of the family, the birth-date and birth-place, the generalities of the employer and denomination of the land-tenement, the date of beginning and discontinuance of the labour contract, the surface of land-tenement and the different cultivations practised in the same.

Copartners - With respect to the ascertainment of copartners the communal Commission must keep in mind the following: 1) individual copartners are those who undertake the cultivation of an agricultural holding, by engaging in it the work of a number of labouring units, but not of the whole family; 2) family copartners are those who, according to the provisions of a contract, have engaged themselves to concur in the cultivation of a land-tenement with the work of their family, to the extent of covering all labour requirements of the said tenement cultivated under a copartnership contract.

For the individual copartners the Commissions must declare the birth-date and birth-place, as well as the cultivations (and respective surfaces) held in copartnership. For family copartners besides the generalities of the titular and the indication of the number of members of the family engaged in the copartnership contract, there must be declared the birth-date and birth-place and the generalities of the employer, the duration of labour contract and the surface of all cultivations held under a copartnership transaction.

The data ascertained with respect to each worker, must be transcribed on special forms to be delivered by the provincial tax-receiving offices for unified agricultural contribution.

The communal Commissions must forward = in the shortest time = the ascertained data to the above mentioned offices, so that the latter may be in a position to compile the principal ordinary lists of names.

The same communal Commissions must likewise take care of gathering = in a systematic way = the data concerning changes to be made in the principal ordinary lists of names, with respect to fixed hired labourers and assimilated, as well as to obliged or fixed labourers, metayers, profit-sharing farmers and family copartners. They must also strike from the same lists the names of workers of any categories, who have discontinued all working activity in agriculture.

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Considering the fact that the changes to the principal ordinary lists are taking place every three months by means of supplementary ordinary lists, the communal Commissions are requested to forward, in due course, the data in question to the above mentioned provincial tax-receiving offices for unified agricultural contribution.

Rome, 5 January 1945.

THE MINISTER
Gronchi

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

SCL/rsw

31 January 1945

TEL : Ext. 904

REF : LSC/1302 (LSC/402)

SUBJECT: Travelling Expenses -- Italian Army personnel.

TO : Colonel R. T. Uhler
G-1 American

1. This is in reply to your request in connection with memorandum of the Economic Section dated 15 January 1945 (E.17/ES).

2. It is recommended that you first ascertain why the officer in question cannot receive the Indennita di Trasferta. According to information received from the Italian Government this indemnity, which is a reimbursement for travelling expenses, is available to him provided that the work on which he is detailed involves travelling in the performance of his duties. No reason appears why Lt. Ferraro is not eligible for this indemnity.

3. In the event that the officer cannot obtain this indemnity, the Labor Sub-Commission has no objection to the payment of the travelling allowance ordinarily made to civilian employees of A.C. It is suggested, however, that the officer be required to certify that he has not applied for, or will apply for reimbursement for travelling expenses from the Italian Government.

DAVID C. SACKS
Labor Sub-Commission

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File: LSC/1002

Subject: Strike of dock workers at Catania -

Date: 29 Jan. 45

To: Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labor - Rome

From: Labor S/C - (Mr. D'Onofrio)

Documents Filed: LSC/515

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APO 394
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

LSC/1002

SUBJECT: Sig. Stella Giuseppe 27 January 1945

TO : The Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour.

Herewith is copy of letter dated 9 January 1945 from Sig. Stella Giuseppe.

We beg that prompt action may be taken regarding payment of salary, arrears and pension due to him.

W. K. BRAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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27 Gennaio 1945

Al: Sig. Stella Giuseppe
Ausonia,
Provincia di Frosinone.

La sua richiesta per le somme a lei dovute per stipendio, arretrati e pensione, e' stata trasmessa al Ministero del Lavoro con preghiera di sollecitare il pagamento.

W. R. BRAINE
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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Colonel [illegible]	been referred to	
Lt.Col. [illegible]	Italian M/E	
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Capt. [illegible]		
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Mr. [illegible]		
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STELLA Giuseppe, residing in Rutonia (Provincia Pol. in) who formerly worked as dos Keeper at the Provincial section of the "Genio Civile" (Ministry of Public Works) in La Spezia (Liguria) and who, afterwards, owing to the destruction of his house caused by a bombardment, he was forced to leave the country and to go too (is asked for retirement), he appeals to the AC in order to get, through its mediation, his due as, since april 1943, date on which he retired from work, though many times claimed for, he didn't get some arrears of salary and others things he is also entitled to a pension but this too has.

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not yet been allowed to him.

While the said Ministry takes matters easily and indeed very slowly, he and his family are starving.

The following Offices are concerned with the matter:

R. Tesoreria di Frosinone (for the pension)

R. Intendenza di Finanza in Foggi (Frosinone) (for the arrears)

Istituto Nazionale Enti Locali - Roma (for the remaining sums)

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TEL : Ext. 804

25 January 1945

REF : LSC/1002 (LSC/108)

SUBJECT: "Commissari Interni" in Prefectures.

TO : Colonel L. D. Densmore
Economic Section

1. The reference of 11 January 1945 from the Italian Ministry of the Interior, over the signature of Prime Minister Bonomi, raises a very important question, and I, therefore, give a full statement of the issues involved.

2. The question raised is whether Internal Commissions in State offices, and in offices under the control of the State, should be permitted; with the comment that the Italian Government does not approve the institution of Internal Commissions in non-industrial Government establishments.

3. The explanatory note from Local Government Sub-Commission, dated 18 January, indicates that Internal Commissions represent workers on social welfare and industrial relations questions, and attempt to control the management of establishments; that they have no legal basis and are not a continuation of the Fascist corporative system.

There is a long history behind Internal Commissions, which were in existence in Italy before the advent of Fascism, which were discouraged by Fascism until recent years when the Fascist authorities tried to revive them, but always on a political and party basis, i.e., the so-called representatives of the workers were selected and appointed from above by the Fascists and were merely another instrument of control, both of workers and of managements. After the down-fall of Fascism in July, 1943, one of the first acts of the representatives of workers and industries was to conclude an agreement for the re-establishment of Internal Commissions in industry. The authors of this agreement are no longer with us -- Buozzi, the veteran Trade Union leader, was killed by the Germans, and Menzoni, the employers representative, was in the North when the Badoglio Government moved out of Rome and has not been heard of. It must be recognised, however, that Internal Commissions in industry have a de-facto existence and the comment of Local Government Sub-Commission that they have no legal basis is merely another reflection of the position resulting from the absence of labor legislation. In enemy-occupied Northern Italy the neo-Fascist authorities are deliberately developing Internal Commissions

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and, owing to the peculiar circumstances in the North, are trying to buy off the workers by giving them a greater share in the management of industrial establishments. This will create a great problem when the North is liberated, and the Allied authorities will have to decide, at a very early date, what their attitude will be towards these "managing" Internal Commissions and the extent to which they will support any policy which the Italian Government may wish to develop in this respect. The managements and directors of establishments which have been cooperating with the enemy will undoubtedly flee or disappear and the position which now obtains in France in the Renault Works, and other industrial establishments, may be repeated. Meantime Internal Commissions are becoming firmly established in liberated Italy in non-Government concerns, and with the help of moderating influences we may be successful in restraining them from undue interference with management.

4. The important issues I have just mentioned cannot properly be developed in this particular reference from the Italian Ministry of the Interior to Local Government Sub-Commission, but I think they should be borne in mind when the immediate issue is being considered.

5. Whilst agreeing with the Italian Government that Internal Commissions on the lines of those for industrial establishments are not appropriate to non-industrial Government establishments, and while certainly agreeing that Internal Commissions have, under the present stage of industrial development, no right to interfere with the management of establishments, I do not think that we could support a merely negative attitude such as that indicated in the explanatory minute by Local Government Sub-Commission, which states that Dr. Cenera's views are that State servants have their position protected by law and that State officials can't be allowed to form associations to further their interests. After all, these State officials are workers and the Government is their employer. On general principles, workers should be allowed to form associations which can represent them in discussions regarding their wages and conditions of service. The obvious exception to those general principles are members of the Armed Forces of the Nation and, with perhaps a little more latitude, members of the police forces. I, therefore, recommend that the Italian Government should be informed that the Allied Commission agrees with them that Internal Commissions, as such, are not appropriate for non-industrial Government establishments, but that, with the exception of members of the Armed Forces and, for certain questions, members of the police forces, it seems proper to allow freedom of organisation of professional, technical, administrative and clerical Government employees, for the normal purposes of workers' associations. Because of the particular functions and responsibilities of Government Departments, certain points such as the right to strike and the right

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to combine with Trade Unions of non-Government employees and of association with, or sympathetic action in concern with such bodies, might be withheld, but that it would be advisable to establish machinery for negotiation and discussion of salaries, wages and service conditions of Government employees. The details of the organisation on a local, provincial and national basis of such negotiation machinery might well be the subject of discussion between the Allied Commission and the Italian Government when the response of the Italian Government to the Indications of policy, now suggested, is known. If the Italian Government are immediately favorable, the Allied Commission would be prepared to offer all the guidance and assistance on matters of broad principle and on matters of detail which it is in their power to supply. If, however, the Italian Government sees difficulty in accepting the suggestions offered, the Allied Commission would be grateful to have the opportunity of further discussion before a final decision is taken by the Italian Government.

W. E. COLLINS
Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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AFO 534
LABOUR SUB COMMISSION

LSC/1002

24 January 1945

To: Cmdr. Abscote,
General Director, Ministry of Industry,
Commerce and Labour,
10 Via Lucullo, Rome.

Dear Sir,

You are probably aware that this Sub-Commission has prepared an Industrial Classification Index for the registration of unemployed workers on a rational and uniform basis.

This Index is therefore mainly for the use of the Offices de Collocamento, and is arranged according to trades, so as to permit the employment of workers in any branch of their trade, according to requirements. In this, the Index differs substantially from all existing ones, which are generally based on production activity.

In particular, the Index should be of service when the time comes to classify the workers in the industrial portion of Northern Italy.

I should be glad to know if you are in fact aware of this work and perhaps, after you have inspected the Index, to know whether you would propose to make its use a permanent feature of your department and its subordinate offices.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. BRAINE

W. H. Braine
Director,
Labour Sub-Commission

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24 Gennaio 1945

Al Comm. Simeone,
Direttore Generale del Ministero
dell'Industria, Commercio e Lavoro,
Roma, Via Lucullo 10.

Cent. Sig. Simeone,

Come probabilmente sara' a sua conoscenza, questa Sottocommissione, allo scopo di permettere che la registrazione dei lavoratori disoccupati possa essere fatta con un criterio razionale ed uniforme, ha preparato una classifica delle professioni.

Tale classifica essendo quindi principalmente ad uso degli Uffici di Collocamento, e' ordinata secondo le professioni dei lavoratori, onde permettere la occupazione degli stessi in qualunque attivita' nella quale la loro professione possa essere richiesta. E in cio' differisce sostanzialmente da quelle esistenti, le quali in genere hanno per base l'attivita' produttiva.

Quest'ultima dovrebbe essere particolarmente utile al momento di dover elencare gli operai delle regioni industriali dell'Italia settentrionale.

Gradirei sapere se Lei e' di fatto al corrente di questo lavoro e se dopo averlo esaminato, Ella ritiene opportuno farlo adottare definitivamente dagli uffici da lei dipendenti.

Cordiali Saluti,

W. H. BRAINE

W. H. BRAINE
Direttore,
Sottocommissione del Lavoro.

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Cross Reference Sheet

File: LSC/1002

Subject: Decree of Foggia Prefect Establishing Wage Rates, Construction Industry

Date: 23 January 45

To: H.E. Under Secretary Parese - Ministry of Industry -

From: Mr. W.T. Braine - Director of Labor A/C

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LSC/1002

9 January 1945

REGISTRATION FOR LIBERATED, ALL SUB-CHIEF CITIES AND DIVISION PLANS, ECONOMIC SECTION.

1. For your information and guidance following is extract of letter 29 December 1944 from Prime Minister Bonomi to Chief Commissioner:

"I have appointed General Gian Gaspare Cittadini Cesi as representative of the Italian Government to the Real Estate Board for all questions relating to the requisition and derequisition of State property."

2. The Real Estate Board referred to is that of the Rome Allied Area Command.

L. K. [illegible]
Colonel, F A
ADCOS, S/S

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Mr. CERRITO		
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TRANSLATION

ROME, 9 January 1945

PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS — **TO ALL MINISTRIES.**

Ref. 23515/1664.4/19.11

Subject: Instructions on contacts with the Allied Commission.

Ref. circular No. 18665/1664.4/19.11 dated 9 Nov. 1944.

Contrary to what was ordered with the above circular, their Excellencies the Ministers continue to submit for the President's signature letters requesting the action of the Chief of the Allied Commission on questions of a technical or secondary nature which come under the specific jurisdiction of the individual Ministries or the corresponding Allied Sub Commissions.

It is needless for me to point out once again the serious inconveniences that such a procedure creates, as reported also by the Commission itself; it causes delay and confusion in the treatment of various matters and nullifies the importance and significance of the Government's action which should be reserved for political questions and for those of primary importance.

In order to eliminate any possible misunderstanding, I hereby order that from now on the action of the President of the Council be requested by the Ministers only for questions of a political character which are of particular importance to the Government, and in those cases in which, providing always they are not of secondary importance or involving mere details, it is intended to initiate the re-examination of decisions already adopted by the competent Allied Sub Commissions. In such cases a copy of every letter shall be sent to the Cabinet of the Presidency of the Council.

In every other case the Italian authorities must deal directly with the Sub Commissions, notifying or consulting with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on questions of a political nature which arise in our relations with the Allies.

I beg Your Excellencies to communicate these instructions to all the offices of your respective Departments seeing to it that they are adhered to promptly and unfailingly.

Kindly acknowledge.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

S/ BONOMI

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THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

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12 January 1945

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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, COMMERCE AND LABOR

REF. : LSC/1002 cross 1003 and 304 8 January 1945

SUBJECT : Allowances to be granted to families of Italian workers in Germany.

TO : ALLIED COMMISSION - Labor Sub Commission

This Ministry is informed of the desperate situation of many families of italian workers who cannot come back from Germany. Their bad situation is in great part due to the suspension of the payment of family allowances already granted and approved by this Ministry last September.

Indeed such a hopeless situation should be promptly examined by the Labor Sub-Commission even because the family allowances effectively paid are due to the monthly amount which the aforementioned workers have paid as registered in their work-books.

Besides it must be considered that the above mentioned suspension damages the families which cannot be held responsible if their relatives were drafted for forced labor and sent to Germany.

We beg the Labor Sub-Commission to re-examine the above mentioned circumstances and, therefore, to act accordingly.

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THE MINISTER

Signed : GRONCHI

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APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

SUBJECT: 478904

REF : LSC/1002

3 January 1945

TO : Economic Section

1. Reference to your memorandum of 2 January 1945, 7.10/SS.

2. This draft decree appears satisfactory and raises no questions from the point of view of Labor Sub-Commission.

JUNIUS H. SMITH
Colonel, QMC
Acting Director
Labor Sub-Commission

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ECONOMIC SECTION

CJM/fs

7.10/ES

2 January 1945

SUBJECT: Draft Decree - Powers of Ministry of Occupied Italy.

TO : All Sub-Commissions.

1. Reference this Section letter AC/9/7/LG dated 29 Dec 44 to which was attached a draft decree as to the powers of the new Ministry of Occupied Italy. It is confirmed that the Decree that was forwarded to you has now been superseded by another draft which is attached hereto.

2. It would be appreciated if you will forward any comments which you may have on the new Decree to this Section for collation by 0900 hours, Wednesday, 3 January 1945.

ROBERT H. DOW
Major, AGD
Chief, Admin. & Pers. Div.
Economic Section

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ART. 1.

The Ministry for occupied Italy constituted by D.L. shall provide in respect of the occupied Italian territory for the intensification of the struggle and for the defense of national interests against the German invaders and against their fascist collaborators.

During the occupation by the enemy the Ministry shall maintain liaison with C.M.L.A.I which is delegated to represent the Government in the struggle against the enemy. After the liberation of the national territory and until the time when the powers of the Italian Government are extended thereto the Ministry shall assist in the solution of all problems concerning the position of patriots and their return to civil life.

ART. 2

The following offices are established in the Ministry for occupied Italy :

(1) for general matters

(2) for military matters

(3) for assistance

(4) for liaison with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

(5) for press and propaganda.

ART. 3.

The office for general matters shall:

1) maintain contacts between the Government and National Committees of liberation, established in invaded territories, by coordinating their activities and receiving information on them and on their aims;

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2) coordinate all clandestine activities and direct the resistance of the population against the invaders;

3) collect all possible evidence on the behaviour of Italian towards the invader for the purpose of futers rewards and punishments;

4) investigate the financial, monetary and economic situation of the occupied territories.

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The office for assistance shall :

1) provide for any possible kind of assistance and material to Italians living in the invaded territory and for the exchange of news with their relatives residing in liberated Italy;

2) assist and receive Patriots both those in newly liberated zones and those who cross the lines. Supplying them with immediate material and moral assistance;

3) take care of any kind of material and moral assistance to all the patriots fighting in occupied territory and to their families.

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The liaison office with the Ministry for Foreign Affairs shall provide, in agreement with this Ministry, for maintaining contacts with the Patriots who are outside of the national territory because of the occupation of the struggle and for the protection of the patriots captured by the enemy.

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The office for military matters shall :

1) maintain and ensure the development of relations with "Volunteers of Liberty" (Volontari della Libertà) operating in occupied Italy:

2) provide for uniform organization and identification of the struggle of the partisans against the Germans;

3) collect any evidence relating to the activities displayed by the Patriots for the purpose of historical documentation and eventual measures which might appear necessary.

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The liaison office with the Ministry for Foreign Affairs shall provide, in agreement with this Ministry, for maintaining contracts with the Patriots who are outside of the national territory because of the necessities of the struggle and for the protection of the patriots captured by the enemy.

ART. 7.

The office for information and propaganda shall gather all the information concerning the struggle in occupied Italy.

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ART. 8

The Ministry for occupied Italy shall provide for the functioning of its own services by civil and military personnel assigned to it from other government Departments and by temporary personnel employed in accordance with the provisions set out in RDL No. 100 of 4 February 1937 and subsequent amendments

The tables of the personnel who can be assigned to it from other government Departments and those of the personnel who can be employed with a temporary status will be approved by a decree of the Minister for occupied Italy after consultation with the Minister for the Treasury.

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ECONOMIC SECTION

REF : LEC/1002 (LC/48)/(LC/207) 2 January 1943

SUBJECT: Scheme of Decree concerning Extraordinary Economic Provisions in favor of Workers.

TO : His Excellency, The Minister of Industry, Commerce and Labor.

1. With reference to the above-mentioned scheme of decree and the discussion held in your office 2 January 1943, it is our understanding that the following points are agreed upon:

(a) A representative of the Allied Commission will be invited to attend, solely in the capacity of observer, future formal meetings of workers' and employers' Confederations held at your Ministry, particularly those at which it is proposed to consider national labor and wage legislation. The intent of having an observer present is to give the Commission opportunity of knowing in advance, the general terms and economic provisions proposed by the Confederations, so that matters of concern to the Allied Forces, as employers of labor, and problems likely to arise in territory under AMG, may be considered on our part, and discussed with you.

(b) The provision of Article 2, establishing Christmas bonuses of 100 hours pay in the case of one group of workers and 90 hours pay in the case of the other, is being reexamined by employers' and workers' representatives at your request, with the object of finding a formula for equal treatment. This Commission will be advised of the outcome of this reexamination.

(c) The provision of Article 10, requiring employers who failed to make payments in 1944 with respect to former Fascist holidays, to make such payments, will be revised in such a manner as to repudiate the Fascist holidays and legally confirm substitute holidays with respect to which payments may be made. It is important that this article contain no implied recognition of the law of 11 April 1938, establishing these holidays, nor the provision regarding them in collective contracts, insofar as liberated Italy is concerned.

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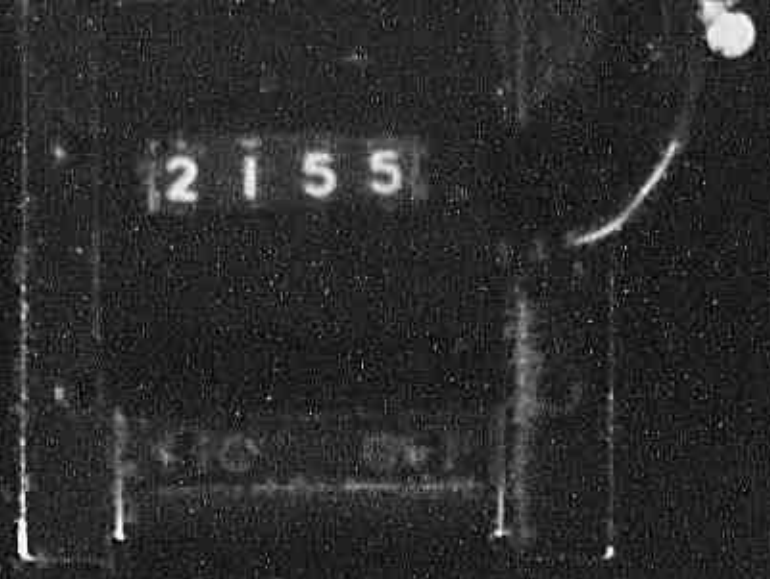
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