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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

Ext. 493

4 November, 1944

REF : LAB.091.4345

SUBJECT: Application of Italian Government Wage Increase Decree in
Sardinia

TO : Col. Smith

1. I have checked the text of Royal Decree Law No. 21, of 27 January 1944, concerning the powers of the High Commissioner of Sardinia and the text of the Decree on High-Cost-of-Living adjustments in wages and family allowances, now pending publication.

2. The terms of the latter decree specifically call for its application uniformly throughout all liberated territory under jurisdiction of the Italian Government, including Sardinia. The emergency powers granted the High Commissioner in Article 2 of the former decree are to be exercised temporarily, in case of necessity only, followed by reference to the competent Ministry of central Government.

✓ The powers granted the High Commissioner with respect to public service contracts in Article 4 would not effect the applicability of a general law, such as that providing the High-Cost-of-Living Indemnity.

3. At my request, Miss Sanseverino called Prof. Scoca on Minister Gronchi's staff and received his specific assurance that the above interpretation is correct and that the new Indemnity and Higher Family Allowances will be applied simultaneously and in the same manner, in Sardinia, in Sicily and on the mainland.

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NEW QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
LABOR SUB-COMMISSION

File 1pm

8 November 1944

Ref. 091.4305
SUBJECT: Transportation for Social Insurance
Institutes in Cagliari Sardegna.

TO : Istituto Nazionale Previdenza Sociale,
Istituto Nazionale Infortuni,
Istituto Nazionale per Assistenza Malattia
per i Lavoratori.

During our recent visit to Sardinia we noted the complete lack of transportation facilities of the regional social insurance institutes in Cagliari. We likewise noted the lack of ambulance service for cases of accidents to workers because the only ambulance available to the Infortuni Institute has no tires.

We have discussed the need for tires for these institutes in Sardinia with the proper officer in the Allied Commission. You appreciate the fact that there is a serious shortage of tires throughout Italy. We have been advised, however, that in some exceptionally urgent cases some jeep tires may be available.

If the cars owned by the institute in Sardinia can be fitted with jeep tires by making some minor repairs or changes we may be able to be of some assistance. Please communicate with your offices in Cagliari and have them fill out the enclosed applications and submit with it a short statement as to the urgency of their need. We suggest that each institute fill out two forms and that they be promptly returned to us.

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Labor Sub-Commission

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4 November 1944

SUBJECT: Royal Decree

Date of Decree: 27 January 1944.

Text of the Royal Legislative Decree

Art.1 The High Commissariat for Sardinia, dependent on the Head of the Government, and temporary in character, is appointed.

Art.2 The High Commissioner superintends and directs within the territory of the island all State Administration, including local administration, units and establishments of public justice and in general all units coming under the guardianship or supervision of the State.

He directs and coordinates the activities of the Prefects and other authorities, civilian and military, on the island, assures a unity in the direction of these.

✓✓ // He exercises in the said territory, in cases of necessity, all the powers of the central Government, thereafter referring them to competent Ministries.

Art.3 The High Commissioner exercises all the powers pertaining to the Minister of Public Works in comparison with the office of the Superintendent of Public Works with Headquarters at Cagliari, instituted by Royal Legislative Decree on 7 July 1925, No. 1173.

✓✓ // Art.4 It is the duty of the High Commissioner to promote the granting of contracts and concessions by local authorities in matters of public service and to arrange the revision and, when necessary, the rescinding of those in effect.

Art.5 This Decree will take effect on the day of its publication in the Official Gazette of the Realm, special series. It will be presented to the legislative Assembly for conversion into law.

The head of the Government, proponent, is authorized to designate the form of the law. He orders all concerned to observe this Decree and to give it the force of State law.

*Furnished by
Col. Allwine*

