

ACC 10000/147/460 T. 16/c5

SOLDIER

AUG. - OCT. 1944

Communication 3/c 1569
 SUBJECT : Solder No.8 for Italian use.

Advance Headquarters,
 Allied Armies in Italy.

Tele : Adv PHLPOT 40

2765X8

HQ AGO

25 Oct 44

Ref your CS/4/11/75 of 4 Oct 44.

The sum which should be charged to the Italian Government
 is £16 - 8 - 0.

S/PM

Charles Tiltman
 Major General, Major
 Chief Signal Officer.

CROSS REF.	75
FILE	B/Twd.
CS/4/11	

Date - 28/10/44.

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Telephone 489081 EXT 555.

In reply refer
to: CS/4/11/75

8th October 1944.

Subject: Solder No. 8 for Italian Use.

To: Chief Signal Officer, Allied Armies in Italy.

Reference ACC memo No. CS/4/11/47 of 2nd September 1944.

1. As a result of the above letter, 10 cwts of solder No. 8 has been received by ACC for the Italian Government.
2. Would you kindly say what sum should be charged to the Italian Government.

J. L. HENDERSON,
Colonel,
Director, Communications Sub-Commission.

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File

Translation by Selan.

Ref.no.125/11-15.

In answer to CS/4/11/70, dated 28th September 44.

Subject : Tin for soldering.

1. We thank you for your communication, and orders concerning the delivery and the conservance of the above mentioned material.

2. Precautions are being taken, concerning the more careful control on the use of the said material.

The Under Secretary of State.

CROSS REF.	70
FILE	B/fwd.
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MINISTERO DELLE COMUNICAZIONI Roma,

SOTTOSGREGARIATO DI STATO
ALLE POSTE E TELECOMUNICAZIONI

SEGRETERIA

N°

183/H.15
Risposta al N. CS/4/11/70
del 28 Sett.

92 OTT 1944
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ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
Sottocommissione Poste e Telecomun.

OGGETTO: Stagno per saldature.

R O M A

1. - Si ringrazia per la comunicazione e per le disposizioni date per la consegna e la conservazione del materiale in oggetto.
2. - Tutte le cautele vengono prese per la distribuzione più parsimoniosa e per il controllo dell'uso del materiale stesso.=

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO



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R E C E I P T

HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Telephone 489081 Ext. 555.

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23th September, 1944

This is to certify that 1120 pounds of tin solder was received
from the Communications Sub-Commission.

MINISTERO DELLE COMUNICAZIONI
DIREZIONE GENERALE R.T.
Servizio Vi Linee ed Uffici Telegrafici - Direzione



Il Capo Servizio
S. Aruini

Scuspa
15/10/44

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ALL SERVICES

List of Stores, Plant Tools, Instruments, &c.

Issued to
Requisitioned by

1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190, 2191, 2192, 2193, 2194, 2195, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2199, 2200, 2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2212, 2213, 2214, 2215, 2216, 2217, 2218, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2224, 2225, 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245, 2246, 2247, 2248, 2249, 2250, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2266, 2267, 2268, 2269, 2270, 2271, 2272, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2281, 2282, 2283, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2287, 2288, 2289, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2295, 2296, 2297, 2298, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2304, 2305, 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2310, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2314, 2315, 2316, 2317, 2318, 2319, 2320, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2337, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421, 2422, 2423, 2424, 2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431, 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2444, 2445, 2446, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2459, 2460, 2461, 2462, 2463, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2467, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2472, 2473, 2474, 2475, 2476, 2477, 2478, 2479, 2480, 2481, 2482, 2483, 2484, 2485, 2486, 2487, 2488, 2489, 2490, 2491, 2492, 2493, 2494, 2495, 2496, 2497, 2498, 2499, 2500, 2501, 2502, 2503, 2504, 2505, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2509, 2510, 2511, 2512, 2513, 2514, 2515, 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, 2526, 2527, 2528, 2529, 2530, 2531, 2532, 2533, 2534, 2535, 2536, 2537, 2538, 2539, 2540, 2541, 2542, 2543, 2544, 2545, 2546, 2547, 2548, 2549, 2550, 2551, 2552, 2553, 2554, 2555, 2556, 2557, 2558, 2559, 2560, 2561, 2562, 2563, 2564, 2565, 2566, 2567, 2568, 2569, 2570, 2571, 2572, 2573, 2574, 2575, 2576, 2577, 2578, 2579, 2580, 2581, 2582, 2583, 2584, 2585, 2586, 2587, 2588, 2589, 2590, 2591, 2592, 2593, 2594, 2595, 2596, 2597, 2598, 2599, 2600, 2601, 2602, 2603, 2604, 2605, 2606, 2607, 2608, 2609, 2610, 2611, 2612, 2613, 2614, 2615, 2616, 2617, 2618, 2619, 2620, 2621, 2622, 2623, 2624, 2625, 2626, 2627, 2628, 2629, 2630, 2631, 2632, 2633, 2634, 2635, 2636, 2637, 2638, 2639, 2640, 2641, 2642, 2643, 2644, 2645, 2646, 2647, 2648, 2649, 2650, 2651, 2652, 2653, 2654, 2655, 2656, 2657, 2658, 2659, 2660, 2661, 2662, 2663, 2664, 2665, 2666, 2667, 2668, 2669, 2670, 2671, 2672, 2673, 2674, 2675, 2676, 2677, 2678, 2679, 26

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Sp. 4.248 No 8 1120

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Telephone 449061 Ext. 555

25th September, 1944

In reply
refer to: CS/4/11/70

Subject : Solder.

To : Under-Secretary of State for PP.TT.

1. A supply of 1120 pounds of tin solder in blocks has been obtained from military sources, and is at present lying in the basement stores of this office.
2. It is for the use in State and Concessionary Company's projects, and care will of course be required in its use as solder is in short supply.
3. Please arrange to collect, using a copy of this letter as authority and signing the attached receipt which should be handed in at the Stores.

J. L. RENDERSON
Colonel
Director, Communications Sub-Commission

Incl: Copy of above letter
One receipt.

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION INCOMING MESSAGE

21 SEP 1944 5748

TO: ORD BRIT AFHQ INFO HQ ACC ROMESIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: 94/20FROM: 3 SUB DEPOT 557 BODCLASSIFICATION: NONEREFERENCE No: P3/3310 SIGS/2282PRECEDENCE: NONEDATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: SEP 19 1125A OFFICE OF ORIGIN: _____

P3/3310 SIGS/2282 OF 17 SOLDER NO 8 QTY 10 CWT BEING DESPATCHED
RED STAR. VOUCHER NO 6608630 REFERS.

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INFO-ACTION - Communications (2)
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*es/4/11*DATE and Time of RECEIPT SEP 20 1940A

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
INCOMING MESSAGE

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TO: 00 3 SUB DEPOT 557 BOD INFO HQ ACC ROME DDOS AAI

SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER No: N39/19

FROM: BRIT AFHQ

CLASSIFICATION: NONE

REFERENCE No: SIGS/2882

PRECEDENCE: NONE

DATE AND TIME OF ORIGIN: SEP171624A OFFICE OF ORIGIN:

DESPATCH SOLDER NO 8 QTY 10 CWTs

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HEADQUARTERS
AFHQ

file 03/4/11

DATE and Time of RECEIPT SEP191130

Distribution:

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Translation.

Rome, 16 Sept. 44.

Prot. No. S/8.6/2639.

Subject : Request for allotment of virgin tin.

To : Allied Control Commission
Posts and Telecommunications Sub-Commission.
APO 394 = ROME =

The General Direction of the S.E.T. forwards to us the request, a copy of which is herewith attached in which they point out the urgent need of an allotment of virgin tin as soon as possible.

The requirement of the above Company needs to be added to those of all the other Concessionary Companies and of the Construction Circoli of liberated Italy.

We would therefore like to know whether we can be supplied with at least 5 tons of the said material, which, in view of the approach of winter we urgently need for guaranteeing the maintenance of telegraph and telephone lines.

We would much appreciate a reply on the matter.

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE.

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D. Director	MAJ
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Chief, Postal	
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(Copy)

TO THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS
R O M E

The undersigned Società Esercizi Telefonici
with head-Office in Naples - Via Francesco Crispi
No. 125, ask you for the allotment of 3 (three)
tons of virgin tin.

The said tin is wanted for preparing tin
solder necessary to the reconstruction of the telephone
network, that the Company carries and mostly for the
Allied Military Forces.

We thank you.

Naples, 10 September 1944;

Signature

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MINISTERO DELLE COMUNICAZIONI

SOTTOSCRITTARIO DI STATO ALLE POSTE E TELECOMUNICAZIONI

SEGRETERIA

Prot. N°

S/6/839

Risposta al foglio N°

del

Allegati

OGGETTO: Richiesta assegnazione stagno vergine.

Roma 16 settembre 1944

ALLA COMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI CONTROLLO
Posts And Telecommunications
Sub-Commission

APQ 394

La Direzione Generale della S.E.T. ci presenta la richiesta allegata in copia con la quale rappresenta l'assoluta necessità di avere al più presto l'assegnazione di stagno vergine.

Il fabbisogno di detta Società, si assomma a quello di tutte le altre Società Concessionarie e dei Circoli delle Costruzioni dell'Italia liberata.

Sarebbe quanto mai utile sapere se questo Ministero potrebbe avere l'assegnazione di almeno 5 tonnellate di tale materiale, che specie con l'avvicinarsi dell'inverno, sarebbe di assoluta necessità per garantire la manutenzione delle linee telegrafiche.

Si sarà grati di un cortese cenno di riscontro al riguardo.

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO

OGGETTO: Richiesta assegnazione stagno verdine.-

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IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO

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COPIA

On.le Ministero delle Comunicazioni

R O M A

La sottoscritta Società Esercizi Telefonici con sede in Napoli - Via Francesco Crispi n°125 - chiede a codesto On.le Ministero l'assegnazione di quintali 3 (tre) di stagno vergine.

Detto stagno occorre per la preparazione della saldatura a stagno necessaria per i lavori di ricostruzione della rete telefonica, lavori che questa Società esegue in preminenza per le Forze Militari Alleate.

In attesa, ringrazia.

ROMA

La sottoscritta Società Esercizi Telefoni-
nici con sede in Napoli - Via Francesco Crispi-
ni n°125 - chiede a codesto On.le Ministero l'as-
segnazione di quintali 3 (tre) di stagno vergi-
ne.

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ne della saldatura a stagno necessaria per i la-
vori di ricostruzione della rete telefonica, la-
vori che questa Società esegue in preminenza per
le Forze Militari Alleate.-

In attesa, ringrazia.

Napoli, 4 settembre 1944 -

segue firma

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Telephone 489081 Ext. 555

2nd September, 1944

In reply
refer to: CS/A/11/ 47

Subject: Solder.

To: O.S.O., A.A.I.

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re 11*

1. There are only a few kilos of solder left in Italian stores. It is essential therefore that a quantity be supplied from Allied sources if the work is to go on, since the continuing use of dry joints will produce such trouble in winter.

2. It is suggested therefore that the Italian Government be provided with about a ton of tin solder suitable for use in soldering overhead wires.

J. L. HENDERSON
Colonel
Director, Communications Sub-Commission

*cc. G-4 spoke 20.9.44.
solder at 3 Sub. Depot 557 BOD.
see folio 59.*

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TRANSLATION

CUR FILE: 558222
REF. TO CS/4/11/42 of 26/8/44

ROME, SEPTEMBER 1st 44 -

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TO THE ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
COMMUNICATIONS SUB COMMISSION

SUBJECT: Solder.

With reference to the mentioned letter, it is pointed out that, owing to the present condition of the market, this Administration is not able to find the said lots of solder.

We would much appreciate if you would let us have some tons of the said material, which is badly wanted.

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE

DIRECTOR.
D. DIRECTOR.
S. C. I.
S. O. P.
CENSORSHIP.
CHIEF CLERK.
Recd. 2/9/44

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Ministero delle Comunicazioni
SEZIONE GENERALE DELLE POSTE E DEI TELEGRAPHI

TRANSMITTE
+ GIVE TO
+ 1 SET
+ 3.2
Allied Control Commission
Posts and Telecommunications - Subcommission

L. 6
R. 558222
Allegato

Risposta al n. 103/4/11/42
del 26-8-44

Oggetto: Lega per saldare.

U R G E N T E

In risposta alla nota sopra distinta, mi affretto a comunicarvi che nelle attuali condizioni del mercato questa Amministrazione non è in condizioni di procurarsi i quantitativi indicati di lega per saldatura. Vi saremmo pertanto vivamente grati se poteste farci ottenere qualche tonnellata di tale materia prima assolutamente necessaria.

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DI STATO
(FANO)

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
APO 394
Telephone 489081 Ext. 555

26th August, 1944

In reply
refer to: CS/4/11/4v

Subject: Solder.

To: Under-Secretary of State for PP.TT.

1. A Memo has been received from the Telecommunications Officer, Region I (Sicily) stating that solder is very urgently required, and many joints on open wire have necessarily been made without solder. He states that similar conditions hold in Region I, II, and VII.. and estimates requirements as:

Region I	700 lbs.
Region II	500 "
Region VII	500 "

2. Please state as early as possible whether you are yet in a position to obtain solder from civilian sources.

J.L. HENDERSON
Colonel
Director, Communications Sub-Commission

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ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
SICILY REGION HQ.
APO 394

RST/rm

19 August 1944

In reply
refer to : RTC 311

Subject : Urgent Requirements Telecommunications.

To : Communications Sub-Commission
(Through RC+MG Section)

1. The following are urgently required by the SET and
Circoli Regions I, II, and VII.

- a. Transport
- b. Solder

Transport was obtained for the CC.TT. Palermo last November. Most of the vehicles were aged and now only 1 truck and 1 car remain in running condition. In the Messina zone three vehicles are running but are in bad shape. In Calabria the Circolo Reggio have 1 British 3 ton truck on loan. In Region II no vehicles other than those working on Military maintenance are available.

The SET are in a worse plight. The High Commissioner and his Prefects have been requested some twenty times to requisition, sequester or otherwise procure small trucks (camioncini) or cars. So far no vehicle has been forthcoming. In Region VII and II Transport does not exist. However in Sicily there are large numbers of private cars and camioncini which are used mainly for " Joy riding " and contraband. In one evening at the bathing beach at Mondello I counted fifteen civilian cars crowded with civilians, enjoying the sea air and consuming petrol issued to them for grain amassing or professional duties.

The following transport requirements could easily be met by a purge in Region I :-

SET Palermo.	1 light truck	1 car
CCTT Palermo .	2 light trucks	
SET Palermo.	1 light truck	
CCTT Palermo.	1 light truck	1 car
SET Reggio C.	1 light truck	

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CCTT Reggio C.	2 light truck	1 car
SET Catanzaro		1 car
SET Cosenza		1 car
SET Bari	1 light truck	1 car
CCTT Bari	3 light trucks	1 car
Total :- 12 light trucks and 7 cars.		

The light trucks could be small Vans or 2 cwt motor tri-cycles (furgoncini).

At the end of August the rains begin and unless this transport is forthcoming to enable preventive maintenance to be carried out the whole system will break-down. In Sicily most of the train services have been suspended thus leaving the various squads without any means of locomotion.

Solder is non-existent in all three regions. All joints are necessarily dry and the first rain storms will cause the majority of circuits to become useless through high resistance.

The following amounts are required:

Region I	700 lbs
Region II	500 lbs
Region VII	500 lbs.

R. S. Trevelyan
R.S. TREVELYAN
Major. R. Signals
Regional Communication Officer

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