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MINISTERO DELLE ~~COMUNICAZIONI~~  
Poste e Telecomunicazioni  
AZIENDA DI STATO PER I SERVIZI TELEFONICI

ROMA, Luglio 1946

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REPARTO 3° UFFICIO 1°

RISPOSTA AL N. 6926.CS

DEL 6/6/1946

PROT. N. 1743620  
AVV. EGATI

OGGETTO: Pagamento fatture Sirti

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
COMMUNICATIONS SUB COMMISSION

A 70394

SEE 26

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IL DIRETTORE DELL'AZIENDA

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*file no further action.*

Director  
D/Director *[initials]*

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 794  
Communications Sub-Commission : HHS/ec

T.69.26.CS

6 June 1946

SUBJECT: S.I.R.T.I.

TO : Azienda di Stato  
Ministry of PP. & FT.  
ROME

1. It has come to the attention of this Sub-Commission that the S.I.R.T.I. is being seriously handicapped in its work due to delays in payment for work carried out in connection with the State Underground cable.

2. As you know, the continued efficient operation of the underground telephone cables is essential to maintenance of Allied Military Communications and it is therefore, requested that the necessary steps be taken so that your Ministry will arrange that sufficient payments for work performed are made to SIRTII so that financial difficulties will not interfere with work of this Company which is <sup>of</sup> paramount importance to Allied Military communications.

H.H. SCUDDER,  
Col. Sig. C.  
Director.

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**SIRTI - SOCIETÀ ITALIANA**  
**RETI TELEFONICHE INTERURBANE**  
 SOCIETÀ PER AZIONI - CAPITALE L. 39.000.000 - SEDE IN MILANO

U. P. O. MILANO N. 7904  
 TELEGRAMMI: TELINTER - MILANO  
 TELEFONI N. } 07480 - 07488  
 } 07489 - 07490  
 } 07491 - 07492  
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MILANO (5) 29 Maggio 1946  
 VIA ~~EFFIZIO~~ Manin 33

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE

Egregio Colonnello,

unisco alla presente copia di una lettera da noi inviata all'Azienda di Stato, richiamando la Sua cortese attenzione in particolare su quanto esposto nei riguardi delle fatture da noi presentate per i lavori di ricostruzione della rete telefonica il cui pagamento viene dall'Amministrazione differito di mese in mese.

Non so se - in vista del fatto che tali lavori furono eseguiti a suo tempo per ordine del Comando Alleato e che in linea di massima questo ci ha considerato come responsabili sia per i lavori di ricostruzione che per la manutenzione - Ella ritenga di poterci in qualche modo dare un appoggio presso l'Azienda di Stato affinché senza ulteriore indugio si provveda alla definitiva liquidazione e pagamento di quanto dovutoci.

Non Le nascondo che il ritardo di questi pagamenti, che nel complesso ammontano a 255 milioni (di cui 115 milioni per i soli lavori di ricostruzione e per la manutenzione dal Gennaio corrente anno), ha ripercussioni assai gravi per la nostra Società.

Le sarò assai grato se Ella vorrà dare alla cosa il Suo interessamento.

Nell'attesa di avere il piacere di poterla personalmente rivedere, La prego di voler ricevere i miei più cordiali saluti

Egregio Signor  
 Colonnello H.H. Scudder  
 Director.  
 Communications Sub-Commission  
 Headquarters Allied Commission  
 A.P.O. 394  
 ROMA

du 658  
*Caro Signor Scudder*

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29 Maggio 1946

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Ministero delle Poste e delle  
Telecomunicazioni  
Azienda di Stato per i Servizi  
Telefonici  
ROMA

Ci permettiamo far seguito ai ripetuti solleciti verbali per pregare  
vivamente Codesta Amministrazione di voler cortesemente provvedere con la  
maggior possibile urgenza al pagamento di almeno cospicua parte delle note-  
voli somme dovuteci, e che qui di seguito brevemente riepiloghiamo:

- a) - per nostre prestazioni per la ricostru-  
zione della Rete Nazionale risultano tut-  
tora dovuteci ..... L. 83.000.000,=-
- b) - per canone di manutenzione dal gennaio e.  
a. della Rete Nazionale sono già natura-  
ti pagamenti per circa ..... " 35.000.000,=-  
In merito ci permettiamo richiedere che  
la pendenza della formale regolarizzazio-  
ne (che ci permettiamo vivamente di sol-  
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sto un importo almeno pari all'80% della  
somma sopra indicata pari a circa  
L. 30.000.000,=-
- c) - per canoni di manutenzione scaduti ante-  
cedentemente al 31.12.1945, loro agior-  
namento e per prestazioni straordinarie  
di manutenzione, risultano dovute comples-  
sivamente circa ..... " 90.000.000,=-  
In merito a tale importo ci permettiamo

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Ci permettiamo far seguito ai ripetuti solleciti verbali per pregare vivamente Codesta Amministrazione di voler cortesemente provvedere con la maggior possibile urgenza al pagamento di almeno cinquanta per cento delle notevoli somme dovuteci, e che qui di seguito brevemente riapiloghiamo:

a) - per nostre prestazioni per la ricostruzione della Rete Nazionale risultano tuttora dovuteci ..... L. 80.000.000,=

b) - per canone di manutenzione dal gennaio o. a. della Rete Nazionale sono già maturati pagamenti per circa ..... L. 35.000.000,=

In merito ci permettiamo richiedere che in pendenza della formale regolarizzazione (che ci permettiamo vivamente di sollecitare) dal noto atto aggiuntivo al contratto di manutenzione, ci venga corrisposto un importo almeno pari all'80% della somma sopra indicate pari a circa

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L. 30.000.000,=

c) - per canoni di manutenzione scaduti antecedentemente al 31.12.1945, loro accantonamento e per prestazioni straordinarie di manutenzione, risultano dovute complessivamente circa ..... L. 90.000.000,=

In merito a tale importo ci permettiamo richiedere che, in pendenza della definizione delle nostre richieste (definizione che preghiamo voler cortesemente rendere

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29.5.46

Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici  
Roma

sollecita), ci venga corrisposta almeno il 60% della somma di cui sopra evverossia circa L. 50.000.000,-

d) - per lavori veri, tutt'ora non liquidati dagli Uffici di codesta Amministrazione, risultano dovutici circa ..... Anche su tale importo ci permettiamo richiedere un acconto pari a circa L. 30.000.000,- nel mentre preghiamo codesta Amministrazione di voler cortesemente disporre per una sollecita liquidazione delle relative situazioni o fatture.

L. 50.000.000,==

Sull'importo complessivo di ..... dovutoci, dobbiamo insistere per il pagamento urgente di circa L. 290.000.000,==

L. 255.000.000,==  
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Riteniamo superfluo rappresentare le gravi ripercussioni per la nostra Società per l'ingiustificato ritardo di Codesta Amministrazione nel mantenere gli impegni e le assicurazioni di pagamento e suo tempo dateci, in quanto abbiamo fiducia che Essa vorrà senza ulteriore indugio accogliere la presente nostra richiesta.

Con osservanza

SOCIETÀ ITALIANA  
RETI TELEFONICHE INTERURBANE  
IL DIRETTORE GENERALE

f.to Carlo Della Rocca

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Egregio Signor  
Col. H.H. Scudder  
Director.  
Communications Sub-Commission  
Headquarters Allied Commission  
A.P.O. 394

ROMA

SIRTI - SOCIETÀ ITALIANA  
RETI TELEFONICHE INTERURBANE  
MILANO - VIA FABIO FILZI, 19

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HEAD QUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
Communications Sub-Commission HES/ee

T.69.25.CS

28 January 1946

SUBJECT: Transport

TO : S.I.R.T.I., Via Lombardia 23 - C ROME

1. Reference is made to your letter of 26 January 1946 on the subject of Auto transport.
2. All Auto transport transferred from Military sources has been, and as far as we know, will continue to be transferred to the Italian Government Agency concerned. In the case of the vehicles used by SIRT I this would be the Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications.
2. If it is felt that ownership and responsibility for maintenance of such vehicles should be vested in SIRT I it is suggested that you make necessary arrangements with the Ministry.

H.H. SCUDDER,  
Col. Sig. C.  
Director.

Copy to: AFHQ, Long Lines Liaison Office  
ROME

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**SIRTI - SOCIETÀ ITALIANA  
RETI TELEFONICHE INTERURBANE  
SOCIETÀ PER AZIONI**

UFFICIO DI ROMA -  
VIA LOMBARDIA, 23-c - TELEFONI 43161 - 41267  
Telecomuni: SIRTI ROMA  
C. P. E. C. ROMA N. 40927

N. \_\_\_\_\_

*Roma, li* 26 gennaio 1946  
VIA LOMBARDIA, 23-c

Col. H.H. SCUDDER  
HQ. Allied Commission  
Communications Sub-Commission  
ROMA

Egregio Colonnello,

mi risulta che in questi giorni dovrebbe essere definita la questione del trapasso degli automezzi alleati attualmente in uso alla Sirti.

Sarebbe per noi molto interessante che tale trapasso potesse avvenire direttamente alla nostra Società, in quanto ciò comporterebbe certamente il minor onere per noi.

Spero che a ciò nulla si opponga e Le sarei estremamente grato se Ella volesse concederci il suo autorevole appoggio per una definizione della questione in questo senso.

Mi è grata l'occasione per confermarLe

T. G. G.

*Suo dev.* 6679 24.11  
Carlo Nola Ros

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LOMBARDIA REGION FOR TELECOMMS OFFICER

8879

1 JUNE 1945

ROUTINE

IN CLEAR PD

INFORM SUGAR ITEM ROGER TARE ITEM TO SEND CAR TO MILAN AIRPORT  
TO MEET DOG EASY LOVE LOVE ABLE ROGER CBOE CHARLIE CHARLIE ABLE  
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PAHEN TO LOMBARDIA REGION FOR TELECOMMS FROM HQ ALCOM CITE ACCOM PAHEN

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April 13th 1945

To H.Q.  
Allied Commission,  
Communication Sub-Commission,  
R o m e

On 13th April 1945  
T.S.P.

To S.I.R.T.I. ORGANISATION

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It is believed that these arrangements will permit the SIRTI to give maximum cooperation with the Allied Forces during the difficult period immediately following the liberation of North Italy.

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Subject: S.I.A.M.I. (MILANO)  
Utilization of Resources for Allied Forces Projects

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S.I.A.M.I. Milano  
S.I.A.M.I. Rome

This letter is written to confirm and amplify the arrangements discussed at the meeting held by Col Keith, A. Sige, representing the Allied Forces, with your representative at your Milano office on 7 May 45.

The purpose of the above meeting being to discuss the incorporation of the SIMEI (MILANO) resources within the framework of the Allied Forces organization (consisting of the I US Signal Coy, Italian Military and SIMEI Rome personnel) working on the reconstruction of the Italian Telecommunication Network under the Technical and operational control of Col Keith.

The following para define the conditions to be met during the period the SIMEI are under the control of the Allied Forces.

1. The SIMEI resources in Technical and Administrative Staff, Technical Information and records, skilled and unskilled labour, tools, equipment, transport and stores will be exclusively at the disposal of the Allied Forces.
2. The disposition, allocation and utilization of all SIMEI resources will be under the control of Lieut Colonel G.A. KILBY, Royal Signals who will act on behalf of the Allied Forces.
3. The SIMEI will not enter into any contracts without the approval of Col Keith (representing the Allied Forces) who will be responsible for the co-ordination of all projects or contracts carried out by the SIMEI for the Allied Forces and/or Italian State or Civil organizations.
4. The Technical control of projects carried out for the Allied Forces will be exercised by Col Keith and/or his

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1. The SIRM resources in Technical and Administrative Staff, Technical Information and records, skilled and unskilled labour, tools, equipment, transport and stores will be exclusively at the disposal of the Allied Forces.
2. The disposition, allocation and utilisation of all SIRM resources will be under the control of Major Colonel G.A. KIRBY, Royal Signals who will act on behalf of the Allied Forces.
3. The SIRM will not enter into any contracts without the approval of Col Keith (representing the Allied Forces) who will be responsible for the co-ordination of all projects or contracts carried out by the SIRM for the Allied Forces and/or Italian State or Civil organisations.
4. The Technical General of Projects carried out for the Allied Forces will be exercised by Col Keith and/or his accredited representatives, (Major RSI Ogden & Capt <sup>SA</sup> ~~SA~~ <sub>9</sub> ~~Dugans~~).
5. The SIRM will be responsible for the payment of the salaries and wages of their staff and personnel.
6. The SIRM will be responsible for the internal organisation and for the administration of their personnel.
7. Payments, charges and presentation of statements covering work carried out by the SIRM for or on behalf of the Allied Forces, the Italian State organisations or concessionaire companies for reconstruction, reactivation, or construction of communications for either military or civil purposes will be made in accordance with the provisions of HQ AC Letter to the Under Secretary of State for F.F.E. reference GS/50/L/20 dated 2 Sept 44 a copy of which is in your possession.

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8. The Planning of Allied Forces projects will be carried out by Col Keith; plans will be in Outline Form and SIRTII will be responsible for the preparation of detailed plans which will be presented to Col Keith for approval.

9. SIRTII will place at the disposal of the Allied Forces all Equipment and Stores, fixed, movable, and consumable.

10. Allied Forces will place at the disposal of the SIRTII such cable, consumable stores, and additional transport as is necessary to carry out Allied Forces projects.

11. SIRTII will take steps to reactivate the contract with the AZIENDA DI STATO PER I SERVIZI TELEFONICI for the maintenance of the STATE U.S. Cable network in the newly liberated areas. (The contract in respect of the maintenance of the network up to and including FIRENZE has already been reactivated).

12. Until further notice the SIRTII (MILANO) will confine its activities to the area NORTH and WEST of a line drawn between the following towns:  
LA SPEZIA, PIACENZA, CASTEL MAGGIORE, OSTIGLIA, VERONA, BOLEGANO, BRENNERO.

The SIRTII (ROMA) will confine its activities to the area to the SOUTH and EAST of the above line.  
The movement of SIRTII personnel between the SIRTII (MILANO) and SIRTII (ROMA) areas will NOT take place without the written authority of Col Keith or his accredited representatives.

*M.P. Keith*  
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11 May 45  
GAT/rjh  
(G.A. KEITH) Lt Col R. Signals  
No 1 US Cable Coy, R. Signals

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*M. P. Keith*

(C.A. KEITH) Lt Col R. Signals  
 No 1 US Cable Coy, R. Signals

11 MAY 45  
 GAC/RLH

COPY TO:  
 CSO I of O Italy (Main)  
 Director, Communications Sub Commission, HQ AC.

Director	
Asst Director	
Chief Telecoms	<i>on</i>
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Date 20/5/45

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
AFG 394  
Communications Sub-Commission

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T.69.21.03

20th April, 1945

SUBJECT: S.I.R.T.I., Organization

TO: Dr. G. Baricella  
CIS Firelli, Via Emilia 86, Rome.

We are in agreement with your proposals set forth in your letter of 20th April, and this office letter of 15th April, may be regarded as withdrawn.

J.L. RENDERSON  
Colonel,  
Director.

Copy to: Lt. Col. G. A. Keith  
S.I.R.T.I.,  
Via Lombardia 23,  
Rome.  
(with copy of letter of 20th April)

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DIRETTORE

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SEDE DI ROMA, April 20th, 1945

To H.Q.  
Allied Commission,  
Communications Sub-Commission,  
R o m e

Subject: S.I.R.T.I. ORGANISATION

Reference your letter T.69.19.CS dated 15 April, 1945, I feel that the proposals set forth by you could be easily modified - subject to your agreement: I have discussed the question with Col. Keith and we are of the opinion that the following arrangements will meet with the approval of all interested parties.

- 1). Ing. GIANFAGNA will continue to act as technical Director of the S.I.R.T.I. and will be responsible for the Technical direction of any S.I.R.T.I. personnel absorbed following the liberation of further Italian territory.
- 2). Ing. FLORENZANO will continue to act as administrative Director and will also continue to deal with all civil engineering questions.
- 3). Ing. PANARA will be appointed commercial Director of the S.I.R.=T.I. and will be responsible for the commercial activities of the Organisation.
- 4). Ing. FLORENZANO will remain in Rome. Ing. GIANFAGNA and Ing. PANARA will be prepared to move to Milan as, and when, required.

The above arrangements will remain in force during the interim period which will elapse before the reactivation of the SIRTII Headquarters in Milan.

Please may I have your comments.



( G. Baricalia )

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
Communications Sub-Commission HHS/rm

T. 69. 20. 08

15th April 1945.

SUBJECT: S.I.R.T.I. Organization.

TO : Lt. Colonel. G.W. Keith, Royal Signals.  
SIRTI. Via Lombardia 23, Rome.

1. Inclosed for your information copy of letter dated  
13th April from Pirelli and copy of our reply.

J.L.HENDERSON,  
Colonel,  
Director.

2 Incls: 1. Copy of Pirelli letter.  
2. Copy of reply.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
 APO 394  
 Communications Sub-Commission

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T.69.19.CS

15th April 1945.

SUBJECT: S.I.R.T.I. Organization.

TO : Dr.G.BARICALLA. Via PIRELLI, Via Emilia 66, Rome.

1. Reference is made to your letter of 13th April 1945, which contains your suggestions for the SIRT I organization during the interim period before reactivation of SIRT I headquarters in Milan.

2. We are fully in agreement with your concept of the problem, but we feel a slight modification in arrangements would result in a stronger and more satisfactory organisation. We would propose the following:

Ing. Panara will be in charge of all commercial questions. Ing. Florenzano will remain in Rome and under the supervision of Ing. Panara will be responsible for all administrative and commercial activities. Until further notice Ing. Gianfagna will continue to act as Technical Director of the SIRT I and will be responsible for the technical direction of any SIRT I personnel absorbed following the liberation of further Italian Territory. Both Ing Panara and Gianfagna will be prepared to move to Milan.

3. If you are in agreement with the above it would be appreciated if you will issue the necessary instructions to SIRT I.

J.L.HENDERSON,  
 Colonel  
 Director. 671

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Chief Telecoms	<i>Roma</i>
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Commissary	
Chief Clerk	

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Date 14 MAR 1945

SEDE DI ROMA, April 13th, 1945

To H.Q.  
Allied Commission,  
Communication Sub-Commission,  
R o m e

Via Emilia 88

Re: S.I.R.T.I. ORGANIZATION

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p.t.o.

**ITALY**

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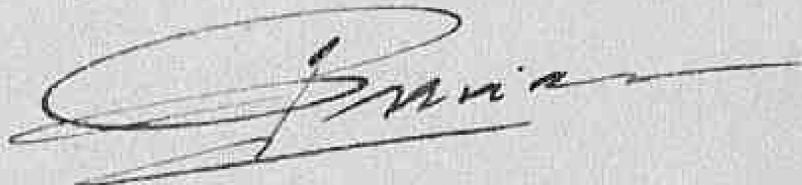
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To H.Q. Allied Commission, Communications Sub-Commission, Rome

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( G. Maricalla )

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HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED COMMISSION  
AFC 394  
Communications Sub-Commission  
Tel: 489081 Ext: 333

25th November, 1944

In reply  
refer to: 60/1/17/CS

Subject : S.I.R.T.I.

To : H.E. The Under-Secretary of State for PP.TT.

1. It has come to the attention of this Sub-Commission that the S.I.R.T.I. is in financial difficulties due to the fact that administrative procedure has delayed settlement of their bills rendered to the Azienda di Stato.

2. According to report received the best which can be expected is that funds will be made available to permit the Azienda di Stato to settle S.I.R.T.I. invoices the end of December.

3. In order to insure payment of S.I.R.T.I. personnel it is necessary that S.I.R.T.I. receive four million lire at once, and (under present circumstances) a minimum of three million lire monthly thereafter.

4. It is hoped that arrangements can be made to insure that necessary payments are made to S.I.R.T.I. to avoid the possibility that a shortage of funds might interfere vital work on the restoration of the underground telephone cable network.

J.L.HENDERSON  
Colonel  
Director.

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SOCIETÀ ITALIANA  
RETI TELEFONICHE INTERURBANE

N. 2109/AC

Roma, 22 Nov. 44  
C.P.E.C. Roma N. 40927

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NOTE TO ALLIED COMMISSION - COMMUNICATIONS SUB-COMMISSION

Since the arrival of Allied Forces the SIRTI have received no remuneration whatsoever in regard to any work completed after June 44 on the Toll Telephone network.

Since last July the SIRTI have explained to the AZIENDA DI STATO PER I SERVIZI TELEFONICI their precarious financial conditions, and now, if the matter is not immediately looked into, it will not even be possible to pay salaries to their personnel and this will seriously effect their work on the cable.

Financial requirements of the SIRTI are 3.000.000.- (three million) lire monthly.

The SIRTI have already sent to the Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici invoices for the amount of 7.400.000.- (seven million four thousand) lire, but the Azienda has not the funds to meet them.

It appears that the Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici had a long time ago asked the Ministero del Tesoro to furnish funds, but these were not granted.

The Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici has renewed the above request and from information obtained from the Ministero del Tesoro it appears that the provision will be submitted to the next meeting of the Ministers.

It is foreseen that at best funds will not be available to the Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici before the end of next December.

We therefore beg that:

1. 4.000.000.- (four million) lire be granted immediately to the SIRTI;
2. you explain to the Ministero del Tesoro - Ragioneria Generale dello Stato - the necessity that the:
  - "capitolo di competenza di parte straordinaria" and
  - "capitolo dei residui"
 of the Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici should be approved with the greatest speed.
3. you renew the request to the Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici that payments to the SIRTI should receive first priority.

*G. G. G.*

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August 4th, 1944. (16)

To H.Q.,  
Allied Control Commission,  
Communications Sub-Commission,  
R.C.C.C.

Re: Activities of S.I.R.T.I.

As agreed, I beg to enclose herewith a copy, with English translation, of the letter which I have sent to the firm of S.I.R.T.I. concerning the continuation of its activities both with the Allied Forces and the Italian Government offices.

I also confirm that the directors now in charge have full legal power to engage the firm, which is in a position to continue its activities, having in that respect a complete independence.

I am at your complete disposal for everything which may be wanted and, as far as our possibilities are concerned, the Allied Command may rely on the fullest collaboration on the part of us all.

P I R E L L I  
Società per Azioni  
The Manager

Encl.

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OLE/ng

( G. Baricella )

T R A N S L A T I O NRome, August 4th, 1944  
(15)

To S.I.R.T.I.  
Via Lombardia, 23  
R o m e

Further to our conversation with the Allied Control Commission and H.E. Fano, I can now inform you that no commissary will be appointed to your firm, as you have already full legal powers to carry out the activities which your head-office in Milan accomplished in peace time.

It is therefore agreed that Ing. Florenzano and Ing. Gianfagna will continue in their appointments as joint Directors of the firm. In particulars:

- a) Ing. Florenzano has to be responsible for all administrative and commercial matters.
- b) Ing. Gianfagna is to be responsible for all technical matters and for contacts with the Allied Forces. All instructions from Allied Forces will be given to him and he will be personally responsible for their execution.

I wish particularly to point out that the Allied Command expects full collaboration on the part of S.I.R.T.I. also in future, especially as regards the terms for completion of the works which will have to be strictly observed, and for which I have at the same time afforded security and taken full responsibility.

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4 Agosto 1944

Spett.  
S.I.R.F.I.  
Via Lombardia, 23  
ROMA

Oggetto: Vostra attività

Facendo seguito ai colloqui avuti con la Commissione Alleata di Controllo e con S.E. Pano, Vi comunico che è stato deciso non si farà luogo alla nomina di un commissario per la S.I.R.F.I., essendo Voi già in possesso dei necessari poteri per espletare le attività già di pertinenza della Vo/ Sede Centrale in tempi normali.

Resta inteso che l'Ing. Florenzano e l'Ing. Gianfagna continueranno nella direzione della Società. In particolare:

- a) l'Ing. Florenzano avrà l'incarico di curare tutte le questioni di carattere amministrativo e commerciale;
- b) l'Ing. Gianfagna avrà l'incarico di curare tutte le questioni di carattere tecnico ed i contatti con le Forze Alleate. Tutte le istruzioni di queste ultime saranno pagate a lui ed egli risponderà personalmente per la loro esecuzione.

Desidero in modo particolare farVi presente che il Comando Alleato si attende anche per il futuro una piena collaborazione da parte della S.I.R.F.I., specialmente per quanto concerne i termini di esecuzione dei lavori che dovranno in modo assoluto essere osservati, e per la quale lo scrivente ha parimenti assunto piena responsabilità e garanzia.

Translation

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28th Sept. 44.

Ref. no. 28115/500 P6.

In reply to CS/60/1/10.

Subject : SIRTI - Work carried out on the telephone cable network, according to request of the Allied Authorities.

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To : Allied Control Commission - Posts and Telecomms.  
R o m e

Reference is made to your letter CS/60/1/10, dated 2nd Sept., - We assure you that we have noted the instructions contained in the above letter.

We inform you that steps are being taken, also by the Ministero del Tesoro, in order to obtain the funds necessary to pay for the work, with which the SIRTI was charged with by the Allied Authorities.

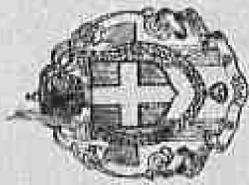
THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE.

Director	
D. Director	
Chief, Telecomms	<i>and</i>
Chief, Postal	
H. Q. Coms. O.	
Asst. Chief Postal	
Censorship	
Chief Clerk	

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Date 29/9/44



Ministero delle Comunicazioni

AZIENDA DI STATO PER I SERVIZI TELEFONICI

REPARTO 2° UFFICIO 1°

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Risposta al N. CS/60/1/10  
del 2 c.m.

OGGETTO  
Sirti. Lavori eseguiti sulla rete telefonica in cavi  
sa richiesta di Autorità Alleate.

Con riferimento alla vostra lettera del 2 corrente mese  
N. CS/60/1/10, mentre si assicura di avere preso buona nota delle  
disposizioni in essa contenute, si informa che, per avere dispo-  
nibili i fondi necessari per la liquidazione dei lavori affidati  
alla Sirti da Autorità Alleate, sono in corso provvedimenti, per  
i quali si è dovuto interessare il Ministero del Tesoro.

IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DEL STATO

*[Signature]*  
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A. C. C.

SOTTOCOMMISSIONE  
POSTE E TELECOMUNICAZIONI

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~~IL SOTTOSEGRETARIO DEL STATO~~

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SOTTOCOMMISSIONE  
POSTE E TELECOMUNICAZIONI

R O M A  
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28 SET 1944  
A. C. C.

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Communications Section  
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HEADQUARTERS  
10 SEP 1944  
A. C. C.

Subject: Exemption from Military Service  
Italians (British)  
Italians

This is to certify that the following personnel of the A.I.S.I.F. are employed under my control by the Allied Forces on Telecommunication work of first priority.

1)	2)	3)	4)	5)	6)	7)	8)	9)	10)	11)	12)	13)	14)	15)	16)	17)	18)	19)	20)	21)	
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Please my arrangements be made for their exemption from Military Service.

G. d. S. G.lli  
L. A. T. G.lli  
Lt. Col. Royal Signals  
for Italian  
C80 I. of O. Italy

Copy to C80 I. of O. Italy  
Lt. Col. Royal Signals  
Director, Communications Section

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1) Ballincioni Mario di Donato	1927 class	Military District
2) Cecchetti Nello di Alfredo	1921 "	of Rome
3) Cabrale Piero di Paolo	1921 "	"
4) Fonda Roberto di Giuseppe	1921 "	"
5) Giovenali Alessandro di Fortunato	1919 "	"
6) Minotti Ugo di Augusto	1921 "	"
7) Mascelli Bruno di Savario	1921 "	"
8) Caporilli Mario di Antonio	1915 "	"
9) Gianni Cesareo di Uberto	1917 "	"
10) Bernardini Armando di Zucolo	1917 "	"
11) Boana Aurelio di Ettore	1917 "	"
12) Giannone Giorgio di Giuseppe	1918 "	"
13) Angeloni Alberto di Albino	1918 "	"
14) Villanti Francesco di Francesco	1919 "	"
15) Casali Aldo di Adolfo	1921 "	"
16) Vecchetti Nello di Alfredo	1921 "	"
17) Mattalieri Vincenzo di Felice	1923 "	"
18) Mori Nello di Domenico	1923 "	"
19) Ziani Stefano di Ferdinando	1924 "	"
20) Conti Giuseppe di Francesco	1921 "	"
21) Corradi Otello di Francesco	1915 "	"

Please see arrangements to made for their exemption from Military Service.

B.F.

G. d. Falli

L. J. VIGNA  
Lt. Col. Royal Signals  
For Brigadier  
CEO L. of C. Italy

Copy to SAC HQ AMI  
CEO L. of C. Italy HQ AMI  
Director Communication Sub  
Commission IN AGS  
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Asst. Chief Postal	
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TS/56

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Subject: Issue of Clothing, etc. to State Employees.

TO AZIENDA DI SEAPPO PER I SERVIZI TELEFONICI = ROMA

Reference to your letter dated 5 September 1944.

It is regretted that it is not possible to accede to your request, there being no authority under which these items can be <sup>ISSUED</sup> to you.

It is suggested that you bring this question to the notice of your Under Secretary of State who will, no doubt be able to arrange for the issue from Italian military sources.

14 September 1944

*G.A. Keith*

G.A. KEITH  
Lt. Colonel Royal Signals

Copy to: Director Communications Sub-Commission.  
C.C.C. (Rome)  
(with copy of letter referred to.)

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*might mention I think  
to O&I*

DIRECTOR.
D. DIRECTOR.
S. O. (1).
S. O. P.
CENSOR SHIP.
CH. L. DEPT.
Recd 15/9/44.

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Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici - Roma

Richiesta di oggetti di vestiario per  
il Personale delle Stazioni Amplificatrici.

Con riferimento al foglio in data 5.9.1944, questo Comando è  
spiacente di non poter accedere alla richiesta di codesta Amministrazione  
in quanto non è in possesso di particolare autorizzazione al riguardo.-

Si suggerirebbe pertanto di portare la cosa alla conoscenza del  
V/ Sottosegretario di Stato, che, senza dubbio, potrebbe definire la questione  
presso le competenti Autorità Militari Italiane.-

14 settembre 1944

*G.A. Keith*

G.A. KEITH  
Lt. Colonel Royal Signals

Copia: Direttore della Sottocommissione per le  
Comunicazioni A.C.C. (Roma).  
(con copia della lettera a cui si risponde)

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MINISTERO DELLE COMUNICAZIONI  
Azienda di Stato per i Servizi Telefonici

Roma, 5.9.1944

Al Lt. Col. H.G. Keith  
N. 1 U.C. Cable Coy.  
c/o S.I.R.T.I.  
Via Lombardia 23/c

R O M A

Materiale di economato per le Stazioni Amplificatrici.

Si prega fornire a questa Azienda per le Stazioni Amplificatrici di Ferentino, Roma, Viterbo, Abbadia, Siena e Firenze:

- N° 25 coperte per branda
- " 20 paia scarpe con suola di gomma di varie misure, e
- " 20 combinazioni di varia taglia per gli operai che attendono alla manutenzione delle batterie.

La richiesta è motivata dall'impossibilità di trovare sul mercato il materiale di cui sopra.

Se vi sarà possibile aderire alla richiesta stessa, vorrete inviare la relativa fattura all'Ispettorato 4° Zona di questa Azienda in Roma - Piazza Bologna.

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IL SOVRAINTENDENTE TECNICO  
f.to Possenti

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HEADQUARTERS  
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
 APO 394  
 Telephone 489081 Ext. 333

2nd September, 1944.

In reply  
 refer to: CS/60/1/10

Subject : S.I.R.T.I.

To : H.E. The Under-Secretary of State for P.P.TT.

1. As a result of discussions with Lt. Col. Keith, and representatives of S.I.R.T.I. and Pirelli and further to my letter CS/60/1/1 of August 1, 1944, it was agreed that there was no difficulty involved in carrying out the provisions of para. 6 (b).
2. It has been pointed out to the S.I.R.T.I. that the responsibility for arranging that operations of the S.I.R.T.I. be not hampered by any lack of cash rests with the Italian Government and that the Azienda di Stato (as the agency directly interested) was prepared to see that sufficient cash was made available to S.I.R.T.I. either thru' prompt settlement of invoices rendered or cash advances.
3. Work performed by S.I.R.T.I. on the State underground cable falls into two classes, (1) work which is purely of military use (2) restoration of facilities which serve or will serve civilian purposes.
4. Payment for both classes of work will be made by the Italian Government, altho' the method of handling statements differs for each class.
5. Statements covering work which is purely of military necessity require a certificate by an Allied officer before submission to the Azienda di Stato. Statements covering work of civilian character are to be made out in accordance with agreement between the S.I.R.T.I. and the Azienda di Stato and do not require any certificate by an Allied officer.
6. In both classes the question of prices charged is one to be settled between the S.I.R.T.I. and the Azienda di Stato. Allied Officer's certificate will only be to the effect that work

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2nd Sept. 44. Continued.

done was necessary in the Military service, has been satisfactorily performed and that it has not been included in any other statement.

7. In case of work performed on underground cables of concessionary telephone companies, E.I.A.R., Italcable or other companies or organizations, work of purely military necessity will still be paid for by the Italian Government (thru the Azienda di Stato) and work of civilian character by the entity to which the cable belongs.

8. It would be appreciated if you would confirm being in agreement with the above.

9. The question of payment for maintenance work performed by S.I.R.T.I. is a separate question covering which other correspondence is in hand.

J. L. HENDERSON

Colonel

Director, Communications Sub-Commission

Copy to: Brig. W.C. Buchanan C.B.O. L.of C., A.A.I. 6056  
 Lt. Col. Keith C/O S.I.R.T.I., Via Lombardia 23, Rome.  
 Dr. Guido Baricalla, Societa IT. Pirelli  
 Via Emilia 86, Roma.

*Comunicazioni*

Roma, August 22nd, 1944  
VIA EMILIA N. 86

*Società Italiana*  
**PIRELLI**

To H.Q.  
Allied Control Commission,  
Communications Sub-Commission,  
APO 394

Attention: Col. Henderson

Subject: S.I.R.T.I.

With reference to your letter No. CS/60/1/1 of the 1st instant, I would like to ask you to kindly arrange for a meeting with the representatives of S.I.R.T.I., so that the details concerning payments, mentioned in paragraph 6 b) of the above letter, may be possible definitely settled.

Awaiting a kind reply and thanking you in anticipation, I beg to remain,

Yours truly,

( G. Baricella )

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DIRECTOR.  
DIRECTOR.

Allied Control Commission,  
Communications Sub-Commission,  
APO 394

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DIRECTOR.
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S. O. (I).
S. C. P.
SECRETARY.
CH. CLERK.

*Clara 22/10/44*

**PIRELLI**

SOCIETÀ PER AZIONI

SEDE IN MILANO - CAP. SOC. L. 500.000.000 - VERB. L. 490.000.000

Roma, August 7, 1944.  
VIA EMILIA N. 86

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H.Q.  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
Communications Sub-Commission,  
APO 394.

Subject: S.I.R.T.I. → *4*

1. - In reply to your letter of the 6th inst., No. GS/60/1/4, I beg to inform you that copy of your letter to Dr. Fano, dated 1st august, 1944, was handed to me on the occasion of our conversation.
2. - To-day a second copy of same letter was sent to me by mail, for which I acknowledge hereby receipt.

PIRELLI  
Società per Azioni  
The Manager

DIRECTOR	
D. DIRECTOR	<i>[Signature]</i>
S. C. I. I.	
R. C. P.	
CENSORSHIP	
CHIEF CLERK	

*[Signature]*

( G. Baricalla )

6/11/44  
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*Recd 9 August 44*

*CS/60/1/8*

Rome 20 July 1944

REFERENCE N. 426

TRASLATION BY SELAN

TO/ ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
PP.TT. SUB= COMMISSION ROME

SUBJECT: National Insurance for employees of the SIRTII employed  
bi Allied Military Command.

Delay is regretted in replying to your letter n. TS/4/13/44,  
dated 14/6/44 owing to the transfer from Salerno to Rome, as  
a result of which many offices have lost their regularity of  
working.

With regard to this matter we think it is possible to  
obtain a definiten conclusion of relations between employees and  
General Direction because, by the next deliberated nomination of  
the Commissiary of the Society, it will be our job to settle every  
matter between employees and Society, and between Society and  
this Administration.

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE

*see also file CS/4/13*

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REAR HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
APO 394

14th June 1944

In reply  
refer to: TS/4/13/44

Subject: Situations Regarding National Insurance  
of SIRTII Personnel in Allied Military  
Employment.

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

Reference attached copy of letter from the C.S.O., I. of C.  
may I please have your comments ?

J.I. HENDERSON  
Colonel  
Director, Communications sub-Commission

Incl. one letter.

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DO. X/21C.S.O.'s Branch  
L. of C. ITALY2 June 1944

Dear HENDERSON,

You will remember that some time ago when we were discussing the conditions of employment of the SIRTI personnel with the U/G Cable Coy., the question of the various national insurance schemes was considered.

I gathered that, although accident or illness arising out of and in the course of employment with the Allied Military Authorities is covered by G.R.O. 664/43, the whole question was under review by the Italian Government in an endeavour to evolve a scheme whereby these directly employed workmen came within the scope of the normal national insurance schemes.

So far as the SIRTI employees are concerned they are all prepared in fact willing to pay their share of the contributions. The trouble is that there will be no one to pay the employers share until we meet up with the management part and have a grand accounting as between the Government, the SIRT and ourselves.

In the meantime I would like to be able to assure the men that their interests in the schemes will not be prejudiced as a result of their employment with us.

Would you please discuss this with the Government and let me know if any progress has been made towards solving the problem.

Yours

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HHS/rm

HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
APO 394  
Telephone 489081 Ext 333.

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6th August 1944.

In reply refer  
to: CS/60/1/4.

Subject: S.I.R.T.I.

To: Dr. G. BARIGALLA, Societa Pirelli, Via Emilia, No 86.

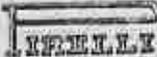
1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of 4th August 1944, together with copy of your letter of the same date to SIRT.I.

2. It is noted that your letter makes no mention of receipt of copy of letter from this Sub-Commission to H.E. Dr Fano dated 1st August 1944, copy of which was sent to you. As this contained important points with reference to S.I.R.T.I. it is requested that this Sub-Commission be informed as to whether copy of letter was received by you.

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

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DIRETTORE

SEDE DI ROMA.

August 4th, 1944.

Dear Major Scudder,

You will find herewith enclosed a copy of the letter which I have sent to your Sub-Commission, and copy, with English translation, of that addressed to the firm of S.I.R.T.I., concerning the continuation of the activities of this firm.

I hope that you will be fully satisfied with our work as no effort will be spared on our part for that purpose, within the limits of our possibilities. The more so that, as I have heard, you are well acquainted with our President; and we are naturally anxious that you may be in a position to give a favorable report on our activity.

With many thanks for your very kind assistance, I beg to remain,

Yours truly,



(G. Baricalla)  
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Encl.

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Maj. H.H. Scudder,  
c/o A.C.C.,  
Communications Sub-Commission,  
R o m e

QUARTIER GENERALE  
COMMISSIONE ALLEATA CONTROLLO  
AFO 394. 3-2

Roma, 6 agosto 1944.

Riferimento : V. lettera del 4. agosto '44.  
Oggetto : Attivita' Pirelli e S.I.R.T.I.  
Ind. a : Ing. Guido Baricalla.

Ho ricevuta la Sua cortese lettera del 4 agosto u.s. come pure le lettere inviate a questa Sotto-Commissione ed alla S.I.R.T.I. e mi sto interessando della cosa.

Sono lieto nell'apprendere che la Pirelli fara' quanto e' in suo potere per collaborare nella necessaria opera di ricostruzione e di cio' ne e' garanzia anche lei, che ha dimostrato di saperne promuovere l'attivita' con molto impegno e competenza.

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H. H. SCUDDER  
T. Colonnello S.C.  
V. Direttore Sotto-Comm. Comunicazioni.

QUARTIER GENERALE  
COMMISSIONE ALLEATA CONTROLLO  
AFO 394.

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Sono lieto nell'apprendere che la Pirelli  
farà quanto è in suo potere per collabo-  
rare nella necessaria opera di ricostruzione  
e di ciò ne è garanzia anche lei, che ha di-  
mostrato di saperne promuovere l'attivit  con  
molto impegno e competenza.

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H.H. SCUDER  
T. Colonnello S.C.  
V. Direttore Sotto-Comm. Comunicazioni.

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*Società Italiana*  
**IRELLI**

Roma, August 4th, 1944.  
VIA EMILIA N. 86

To H.Q.,  
Allied Control Commission,  
Communications Sub-Commission,  
R o m e

Re: Activities of S.I.R.T.I.

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I also confirm that the directors now in charge have full legal power to engage the firm, which is in a position to continue its activities, having in that respect a complete independence.

I am at your complete disposal for everything which may be wanted and, as far as our possibilities are concerned, the Allied Command may rely on the fullest collaboration on the part of us all.

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P I R E L L I  
Società per Azioni  
The Manager

( G. Baricalla )

Encl.

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T R A N S L A T I O N

Rome, August 4th, 1944

To S.I.R.T.I.  
Via Lombardia, 23  
R o m e

Further to our conversation with the Allied Control Commission and H.E. Fano, I can now inform you that no commissary will be appointed to your firm, as you have already full legal powers to carry out the activities which your head-office in Milan accomplished in peace time.

It is therefore agreed that Ing. Florenzano and Ing. Gianfagna will continue in their appointments as Joint Directors of the firm. In particular:

- a) Ing. Florenzano has to be responsible for all administrative and commercial matters.
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I wish particularly to point out that the Allied Command expects full collaboration on the part of S.I.R.T.I. also in future, especially as regards the terms for completion of the works which will have to be strictly observed, and for which I have at the same time afforded security and ~~responsibility~~ full responsibility.

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4 Agosto 1944

Spett.  
S.I.R.T.I.  
Via Lombardia, 23  
ROMA

Oggetto: Vostra attività

Facendo seguito ai colloqui avuti con la Commissione Alleata di Controllo e con S.E. Fano, Vi comunico che è stato deciso non si farà luogo alla nomina di un commissario per la S.I.R.T.I., essendo Voi già in possesso dei necessari poteri per espletare le attività già di pertinenza della Vs/ Sede Centrale in tempi normali.

Resta inteso che l'Ing. Florenzano e l'Ing. Gianfagna continueranno nella direzione della Società. In particolare:

- a) l'Ing. Florenzano avrà l'incarico di curare <sup>1/4</sup> tutte le questioni di carattere amministrativo e commerciale;
- b) l'Ing. Gianfagna avrà l'incarico di curare tutte le questioni di carattere tecnico ed i contatti con le forze Alleate. Tutte le istruzioni di queste ultime saranno pagate a lui ed egli risponderà personalmente per la loro esecuzione.

Desidero in modo particolare farVi presente che il Comando Alleato si attende anche per il futuro una piena collaborazione da parte della S.I.R.T.I., specialmente per quanto concerne i termini di esecuzione dei lavori che dovranno in modo assoluto essere osservati, e per la quale lo scrivente ha parimenti assunto piena responsabilità e garanzia.

HEADQUARTERS  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION  
APO 394  
Tel. 439081 : Extn. 400

JLH/tjj

In reply refer  
to: CS/60/1/1

1st August, 1944.

Subject: S.I.R.T.E.

To: The Minister of Communications.

1. Dr. Baricalla of the Pirelli Company, which has a controlling stock interest in SIRTÉ, has given assurances that the SIRTÉ office in Rome has full legal powers to permit the carrying out of the activities which the SIRTÉ head office in Milan accomplished in peace time.
2. It is therefore not necessary to have a Commissary appointed.
3. It was agreed with Dr. Baricalla that he would arrange for the immediate appointment of Ing. Nicola Gianfagna and Ing. Raffaele Florenzano as joint Directors of the SIRTÉ.
  - (a) Ing. Gianfagna is to be responsible for all technical matters and for contact with the Allied Forces. All instructions from Allied Forces will be given to him and he will be responsible for their execution.
  - (b) Ing. Florenzano is to be responsible for all administrative matters.
4. Dr. Baricalla as representative of the majority stock interest in SIRTÉ assumes full responsibility for the proper functioning of the SIRTÉ organisation.
5. It was explained to Dr. Baricalla that the establishment of SIRTÉ as a going concern with responsible officials in charge was a first requirement of the Allied Forces and Dr. Baricalla has given assurances that with the appointment of Gianfagna and Florenzano this would be accomplished.
6. A program was given to Dr. Baricalla as follows:-
  - (a) A joint Sirté - Azienda di Stato proposal to be presented for taking over of maintenance of the State cable, such proposal to be detailed in respect to dates, personnel etc. A proposal has now been received by this Sub-Commission and is being translated.

- (b) Arrangements with Allied Forces (Lt.Col. Keith) for payment of SIRTII personnel now being paid by Allied Forces as of August 1st, 1944 and settlement for payments made ~~to~~ previous to that date. The Allied Forces will require SIRTII to settle such costs incurred in restoration of State cables as are not considered a proper charge to Military operations. It will be SIRTII'S responsibility to obtain settlement from the Azienda di Stato for any amounts properly chargeable to the Azienda.

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

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Copy to: Brig. W.C. Buchanan, C.S.O. I. of C. A.A.I.  
Lt.Col. Keith, C/O SIRTII, Via Lombardia 23.  
Dr. Guido Baricalla, Societa I.T. Pirelli  
Via Emilia 86.

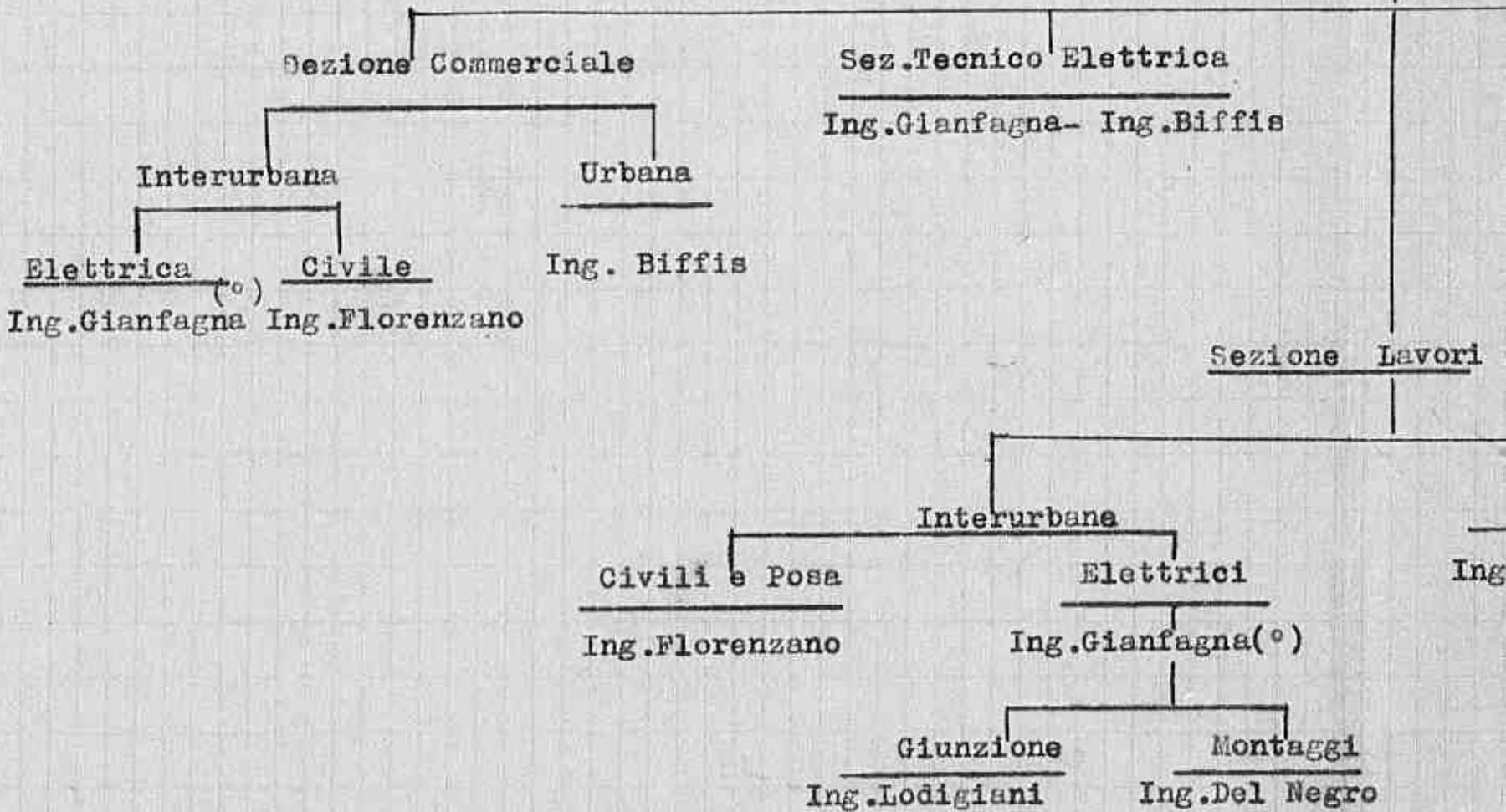
SCHEMA ORGANIZZAZIONE DELLA SOCIETA' ITALIANA R  
E DELLA FABBRICA APPARECCHIATURE PER COMUNICAZ

DR. BARIGALLA  
con incarico di sovr

DIREZION

- Direttore:
- Ing. Florenzano Raf
- Condirettori:
- Ing. Gianfagna Nico
- Ing. Garofoli Vince
- Ing. Biffis Federic

In caso di assenza dell'Ing.  
ne sarà assunta solidalmente  
Gianfagna e Garofoli e, limit  
Face, anche dall'Ing. Biffis.



(\*) L'Ing. Gianfagna assumerà piena  
responsabilità delle questioni  
tecnico- elettriche-

RAZIONE DELLA SOCIETA' ITALIANA RETI TELEFONICHE INTERURBANE ( S.I.R.T.I.) =ROMA=  
 APPARECCHIATURE PER COMUNICAZIONI ELETTRICHE ( F.A.C.E.) = ROMA=

DR. BARICALLA Guido  
 con incarico di sovrintendenza

DIREZIONE

- Direttore:  
 - Ing. Florenzano Raffaele
- Condirettori:  
 - Ing. Gianfagna Nicola { per Sirti  
 - Ing. Garofoli Vincenzo {  
 - Ing. Biffis Federico per Face

In caso di assenza dell'Ing. Florenzano la direzione sarà assunta solidalmente dai Condirettori Ingg. Gianfagna e Garofoli e, limitatamente alla Sezione Face, anche dall'Ing. Biffis.

Tecnico Elettrica

Gianfagna- Ing. Biffis

Manutenzione

Ing. Garofoli

Amministrativa

Sirti

Ing. Florenzano

Face

Ing. Biffis

Sezione Lavori

Interurbana

Urbana

Elettrici

Ing. Biffis-Ing. Del Negro

Ing. Gianfagna(°)

Giunzione

Montaggi

Modigliani

Ing. Del Negro

