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ELECTRIFICATION OF RAIL LINES  
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TRACT FROM DISTRICT ROUTINE ORDERS  
SERIAL NO. 9 DATE 10 MAY '44

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143. ELECTRIFICATION OF RLY LINES.

1. The following railway lines in and around 3 District are at present operated by electric traction, or will be electrically operated in the near future. Therefore, the overhead cables are, or will shortly become, live.

(a) Standard Gauge Lines

- (i) NAPLES-POZZUOLI-TORRE GAVETA
- (ii) BENEVENTO-FOGGIA
- (iii) NAPLES-AVERSA-CASERTA
- (iv) NAPLES-CANCELLO-CASERTA
- (v) AGROPOLI-SAPRI-PAOLA-SAN EUFEMIA
- (vi) SALERNO-NOCERA INFERIORE
- (vii) NOCERA INFERIORE-TORRE ANNUNZIATA  
(Electrically operated within the next few weeks)
- (viii) CASERTA-BENEVENTO  
(Electrically operated within the next few weeks)

(b) Narrow Gauge Lines

- (i) NAPLES-SAN ANASTASIA-SAN GIUSEPPE-POGGIOMARINO-SARNO
- (ii) NAPLES-TORRE ANNUNZIATA-FOLPETI-POGGIOMARINO-SARNO
- (iii) TORRE ANNUNZIATA-CASTELLAMARE
- (iv) NAPLES-NOLA-RAIANO

2. The height of the electric cable above ground level varies slightly on different sections of the line, but is not less than 16 feet. Clearance signs are being put up on either side of certain level crossings, but there will be many crossings without any indications of the clearance of the cable above road level.

3. Drivers of vehicles in the areas described in para 1 will be cautioned to ensure that no part of their vehicle or load comes into contact with the overhead cable at level crossings. A warning to this effect will be included in all road movement orders, whether issued by Movement Control or by units.

4. OSC trains and OSC parties travelling by train will ensure that their men do not travel on the roofs of railway carriages or trucks. Standing Orders for OSC Troop trains are being amended to include this provision.

5. DRO 93/44 is hereby cancelled.

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(To be repeated in formation and unit orders)

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TO : Lt. Col. Birchett, T.O.U., AMG 5th Army.  
FROM : Trans. Officer AOC, Region 4.  
SUBJECT: Electrification of Rail Lines.  
REF : R4/ES/T6  
DATE : 22 April 1944

1. Reference is PBS Bulletin 112 dated 21 April 1944, para 4.

2. Attention is drawn to the electrification of the overhead wires on the railways Naples - Aversa-Caserta and Caserta - Cancello - Naples at 3000 Volts DC as from 24th April 1944.

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