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Roma, 12 Maggio 1945

Div.Mov. e Trass.
Sez. Controllo Trasporto
Prot.n. 2M/C1/9415

A.G. ANTOLINI
V.Presidente Sezione Economica
Comando Commissione Alleata

R.O.M.A.

Al Signor

Oggetto: Trasporto vino.

Con riferimento alla Sua lettera 15-07/IS-AC/28/31/Dn 5 del 19 aprile s.m. si fa presente quanto segue.

Le infrazioni commesse dai trasportatori sono state dallo stesso Ufficio della R.Guardia di Finanza, che ha preso parte alla nota 1-
spazione eseguita dal 4 al 6 aprile s.m., denunciata alle competenti Autorità Giudiziarie, in conformità a quanto prevede il D.L.L. 17 agosto 1944 n.188, istitutivo dell'ENAC.

In linea amministrativa è stato, nei casi menzionati il ritiro dei permessi di circolazione.

Per ciò che concerne le infrazioni commesse dal personale dell'ENAC, si è provveduto subito a rigorosi accertamenti. Non appena questi sareanno definiti si provvederà con la massima severità a carico dei responsabili.

Al riguardo si fa presente che la disposizione impartita alle Direzioni dell'ENAC e intesa a prohibire i trasporti di vino risale al giorno 31 di marzo, mentre risulta che alcune Direzioni, quali Avellino, ed Avellino, è pervenuta solo il 12 aprile.

A convalica di quanto sopra sta il fatto che nella seconda ispezione, compiuta dagli stessi ufficiali dal 15 al 23 dello scorso aprile, sono stati rilevati solo quattro casi di infrazioni e commessi solamente dai trasportatori stessi i quali hanno altenato i documenti di viaggio. Anche in questi casi si è provveduto a sporgere denuncia.

Di tutti gli ulteriori provvedimenti che saranno presi, verrà informato questo servizio.

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Di tutti gli ulteriori provvedimenti che saranno presi, verrà informata codesta Commissione e nel contempo sarà data opportuna pubblicità attraverso la stampa.

Si riserva pertanto di far seguito alla presente.

IL MINISTRO

E. to Cerbona

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MOVEMENT & TRAFFIC DIVISION
TRAFFIC CONTROL SERVICE

REF.N. 24/C1/9415

Rome 12 May 1945

To : Mr. A.G. ANTOLINI
V.President Economic Section
A.C. Headquarters -ROME

SUBJECT : Haulage of Wine

Referring to your letter Ref. 15-07/ES-AC/28/31/Tn5 of 19th April last, we beg to submit the following points:

Infringements committed by truckers have been denounced by the same Guardie di Finanza officer who took part in the known inspection carried out from 4 to 6th April last, to the competent judicial Authorities, in conformity with the rulings contained in L.Decree of 17th August 944 N° 188 , establishing ENAC .

As an administrative measure,in these same cases, the withdrawal of circulation permits has been maintained .

As regards infringements committed by ENAC personnel rigorous enquiries have been started . As soon as these are completed, measures of the utmost severity will be taken against the offenders .

In this respect we beg to inform that the instructions issued to all ENAC Directorates, and aimed at forbidding the haulage of wine is dated the 31st March, whereas it has been ascertained that some of the Directores, e.g. Benevento and Avellino, received it only on the 12th. of April .

As a confirmation of the above statement, the fact is that in the second inspection, effected by the same officers from the 15th. to the 23rd. of April last, only four instances of such infringements were found out, and they been committed solely by the truckers themselves , by forging travel papers . Also in these cases a denunciation has been made .

Your Commission will be informed of all further measures which will be taken, and meanwhile an adequate publicity shall be afforded through the press .

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Further informations will follow.

THE/LINISTER

(Signed : CERABONA

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Movements Division - Roads - Memorandum No. 2

Movements of wine...

1. This instruction refers to the movement of wine and all alcoholic liquors on the mainland of Italy south of the Northern Territory Boundary i.e. the Northern boundaries of the following provinces :-
RAVENNA, FORLÌ, PIACENZA, LUCCA and APRICELLA.
2. Separate instructions will be issued concerning movement of wine in the manufacture of alcoholic beverages.

In Northern Territory.

2. The term wine used hereafter in this instruction will include wine, spirits and all alcoholic beverages and includes alcohol for use in the manufacture of alcoholic beverages.

3. Movement by sea.

- In accordance with arrangements made with High Commissioner for Food the principle method of movement to be used for wine will be sea. Full particulars of the procedure for securing shipping movements are given in this H.Q. Shipping Instruction No 8 dated 21 March 1945.
Ref AC/501/21/2N.3.

4. Movement by rail.

- The movement of wine from production Centres to port of shipment and from port of discharge to consignee will be by rail from and to the nearest railway station.
Movement of wine by rail from production Centres to Consignees (consumption centres) may take place only when authorized by High Commissioner for Food, through his Compartimental representatives, provided that such movement is within the total tonnage allocated for the movement of non rationed foodstuffs.

Full particulars of the procedure for securing movement by rail are given in this H.Q. Movements Division - Rail - Memorandum No. 4 dated 21 February 1945, Ref. 381/4/2N.3

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Full particulars of the procedure for securing movement by rail are given in this H.Q. Movements Division - Rail - Memorandum No.4 dated 23 February 1945, Ref. 383/4/TM.3

5. Movement by road.

(a) Movement of wine by road is prohibited excepting in the following instances :—

- (1) From Production Centres to nearest railway station or port of shipment whichever is the nearest,
- (2) From nearest railway station or port of discharge (whichever is the nearest) to consignee warehouse.

(b) In the following cases rail or road haulage may be employed:-

- (1) From production centre to Port of shipment.
- (2) From Port of discharge to consignee warehouse.
- (3) Later contract movement.

(c) The following conditions will govern the haulage referred to in sub para (b):-

- (1) Where no rail service or rail capacity is available road haulage is permitted.
- (2) If rail facilities or rail capacity is available then the type of transport (rail or road) allotted will be governed by distances as follows :-
 - Up to 30 Kms - Road
 - 30 Kms to 60 Kms - Road or Rail - optional according to availability.

Over 60 Kms - Rail.

- (d) All AC officers will assist RMO in their efforts in Italian Government territory by refraining from authorizing AC or W.D. vehicles to load wine.
- (e) Regional Commissioners will issue orders to ensure that this instruction is complied with.

6. High Commissioner for Food is requested to bring to the notice of all wine producers and dealers the facilities which do exist for the movement of wine.

DISTRIBUTION

APHQ G-4 (Kov & Son)
APHQ G-5 (2)
HQ, AC.

Economic Section
Food Sub-Commission
Transportation Sub Commission : Director
of Transport

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DISTRIBUTION

APHQ G-4 (Mov & Inv)
APHQ G-5 (2)
HQ. AG.

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Transportation Sub Commission : Director

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Planning Staff

Movements Div. - Rail Branch
" " - Ship Branch

Rail Div. - Operating Branch
Supply Branch

Road Div. - Operations Branch
Port & Ware Division.

AC. M. Officer : Capt. A.H. Irvine-Lynch - AG Palermo

Capt. J.W. Boddy - AG Reggio e/o 204 Sub Area
Capt. R.B. Cook - " " " " "

Maj. V.R. Bowers - AG Naples Commune

Maj. R.C. Marks - AGO Naples Commune
Maj. W.T. Martin - " " "
Capt. T.S. Ramsey - " " "
Lt. A.M. Clark - " " "
Lt. Irving Strand - " " "
Maj. G.W.G. Taylor - Sr Tn Officer AG Bari
Capt. S.C. Hall - Rail Tn Off AG Bari
Capt. R.J. Woodcock - Rail Tn Off AG Bari
Capt. B.W. Dean - c/o ISR Capo-Compartimento Rome
Capt. J.N. Bowes - AC Port Liaison Off. Civitavecchia.
Capt. F.R. Price - AG Tn Off c/o Town Major Aquila
Lt. A.H.F. Webb - c/o AC Toscana Region.
Regional Commissioner Umbria-Marche Region.
" " " Toscana Region
Regional Tn Officer Umbria Marche Region
" " " Emilia Region
" " " Toscana Region.
AGO Naples Commune
AGO 5 Army
AGO 8 Army
HQ. AG, Motor Transport Group (MAP) (5)
Cap. J.S. Billingshurst No. 1 Truck Pool AG, PUGLIA
Cap. J.W. Hodges, No. 2 Truck Pool AG, MATERA, c/o ARMY JOURNALI
U.N.R.R.A.
M.M.I.A. for Movements Liaison Officer
Alto Commissariato per l'Alimentazione (50) for distribution to SEPPALS.
Feder. Ital. Consorzio Agrari (50), for distribution to Consorzi Agrari
Provinciali.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

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Phone: 489081

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Ref: AC/28/70/Tn5

12 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Irregular Haulage of Wine by Road.

TO : Regional Commissioner - Toscana Region.



1. Reference your letter IVIII/35/10/94 dated 2 May 1945.

a 2. Attached hereto is copy of ENAC letter CA/Movimento (undated) regarding further case arising in your Florence Transportation Office where steps were being taken to persuade ENAC to issue work ticket for the haulage of wine from Puglie to Grosseto.

3. In view of your above mentioned letter, a full explanation is required as to why this work ticket was issued and why the hirer was advised to apply to ENAC, Rome, for a work ticket enabling him to go to Puglie for wine. It appears that the Director or Staff of the Florence office are acting directly in contravention of your instructions and you are directed to take strong action against the person responsible.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE:

G. FERNYHOUGH
Lt. Colonel, RA

Encl.-

copy ENAC ltr w/encls.

cc: ENAC - Piazza Croce Rossa

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Ente Nazionale Autotrasporti Cose
Istituto Di Diritto Pubblico
D.L.L.17 Agosto 1944 N.188
Direzione Generale

CA/Movimento

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To the Allied Commission
Transportation Sub-Commission
R O M E

SUBJECT: haulage of wine

1. We are informed by the "Societa Forniture Statali - Roma - Via Vol turno 51" that, being in connection with the Commune of Prato for supplying some quantities of wine, they asked for the necessary transport permit.

2. From Prato Authorities they received a work ticket like copy here enclosed (Appendix A), were asked to address to the Governor of Prato a letter (Appendix B) and were addressed to E.N.A.C. Rome for obtaining, on exhibition of above mentioned letter (bearing the stamps of the official of the A.M.G.), the work ticket for the haulage of the wine from the Puglie to Grosseto.

3. Obviously we did not deliver any work ticket, but we call your attention to the fact that it seems that not all the Offices of the A.M.G. are informed with the limitations on the haulage of wine.

/s/ THE GENERAL MANAGER

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AT index "A"

FLORENCE TRANSPORT OFFICE

Work ticket n° 43943

PRATO 3/5/45

TRUCK ROMA 77937 TRAILER 1637

LOADING CAPACITY QLS. 65 " QLS. 89

SIGNATURE: OFFICIO AUTOTRASPORTI DI PRATO

APPROVED by : A. M. G.

CONSIGNOR: COMUNE DI PRATO

TRANSPORT: from GROSSETO to PRATO and return via Livorno

JOVENTY: wine , return empty

CONSIGNEE: COMUNE di PRATO

RETURN: for the 5/5/45.

SOCIETA' FORNITURE STATALI

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HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
TOSCANA REGION
SUPPLY DIVISION

72889

R/VIII/F/32

22 May 1945

SUBJECT: Haulage of Wine.

TO : Transportation S/C HQ AC.

1. Ref your AC 28/41/Tn5 of 19 April 45 and enclosures.
2. The Provincial Supply Officers who were responsible for issuing trip tickets for transportation of wine are no longer in this Region.
3. Copy of report from Major Chiara is enclosed herewith. Attention is called to para 4, which should ensure that no further trip tickets will be issued for the haulage of wine except under those particular circumstances enumerated therein.

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Abusing wine

H. DRING
Major
RSO



SUPPLY OFFICE

19th May 45.

F/ES/18/1853

Haulage of wine.

Regional Supply Officer,
Toscana Region.

1. Ref. your R/VIII/F/32 dated 25th April, 45.
2. Attached are trip tickets requested and copies of correspondence allowing wine and liquor to be imported into Florence Province.

3. On investigation it has been ascertained that trucks hauling wine into Florence were not Florence trucks, but ENAC, Rome, trucks described as follows:

- FIAT 634 - Target N° 71899/ROMA = Cap. 60 Qls.
- Lancia RO- " " 54214/ROMA = " 47 "

The Florence Autotrasporti Consorzio has stated that ENAC authorized the registration of these two trucks with the Florence Autotrasporti and the following trip tickets were issued without any issue of POL for the service it was to provide. The Ufficio Autotrasporti state that the POL was provided for by Rome.

n° 109195/ from the 18/2 to the 24/2 to Rome
" 110314/ " " 26/2 " " 15/3 " Reggio Calabria
" 109194/ " " 19/2 " " 2/3 " Lucca and Reggio Calabria
" 110853/ " " 1/3 " " 20/3 " Lucca and Reggio Calabria
" 113504/ " " 16/3 " " 15/4 " Reggio Calabria
" 113997/ " " 1/4 " " 30/4 " Lecce and Reggio Calabria

4. Orders have been issued to the Ufficio Autotrasporti of Florence that under no condition will trip tickets be issued for the transportation of wine except for Port clearance, from railheads and for local distribution. 629

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ZJ
FRANK J. CHIARA
Major, Infantry
Provincial Supply Officer.

TRANSLATION R.S.

E . N . A . C .

GENERAL DIRECTORATE

Mov. & Traf. Divi.

REF. N° 3 4 3/9910

Rome 17 May 1945

TO : A.M.G. P E R U G I A

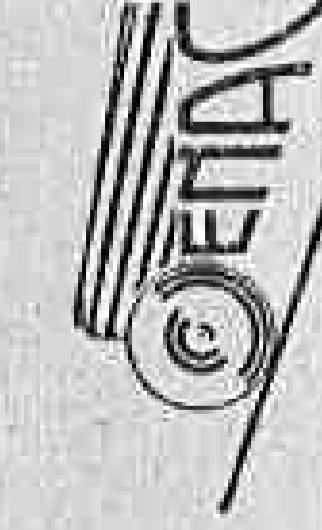
COPY TO : AC / Transportation S/C - ROME
ENAC - Compart/Direct/- ROME
ENAC - Provin/ Direct/- FROSINONE

SUBJECT : HAULAGE OF WINE

- 1) Our Provincial Directorate in Frosinone has transmitted to us your letter of 26 April last - intended to obtain the release from ENAC , for a thirty day's period, of two trucks belonging to the Firm Fratelli D'INTI of Frosinone, Reg. Nos FR 5044 and FR 5118, which would be employed for the supply of wine to the population of Perugia .
- 2) The Minister of Transport, owing to the known shortage of tyres and fuel; in agreement with the superior A.C.H.Q. and with the High Commissioner for Food, has expressly forbidden the haulage of wine by motor trucks, and has ordered that this commodity must be hauled by sea or by rail . In order to complete the e/m measure one and only exception has been made , allowing for the haulage of wine by trucks only from production centres to shipping ports and to railway stations, and from Ports of discharge and railway stations to consumption centres over distances under 100 Kms, and provided the centres have no railway facilities .
- 3) Accordingly, this Directorate is unable to comply with the request, as we may not ,by any means, contravene to the e/m explicit regulations .

THE DIRECTOR GENERAL

M. COSTA



Roma, 4 VUG 1945 194

Ente Nazionale dell'Aeronautica

ISTITUTO DI DIRITTO PUBBLICO
DALL'8 AGOSTO 1944 N. 185

DIREZIONE GENERALE

Comm. 1^o 3 m. 3 | 9910 May
Rapporto al /

A.M.G. e P.C.
A.C. SOTTOCOMMISSIONE TRIBUTI
DIREZIONE GENERALE DIRETTRIZI - DIREZIONE PROVVISORIA ENAC

Oggetto: Trasporto vino.

1º) — In nostra Direzione provvisoria il 26 aprile 1945, tenutasi ad otto ore dalla nostra lettura del 26 aprile 1945, tenutasi ad otto ore dallo studio della legge, per un periodo di trenta giorni, di due autocarri della "U.T.I. S.p.A." di Reggina, n. 4175 SOCAL e n. 5723, che dovrebbero essere destinati all'approvazione del 7/4/45 per la polizia di frontiera.

2º) — Il trasporto dei vini esportati a causa delle note telefoniche di giorno e di carburante, d'intesa con i superiori Comandi dell'U.T.I. e con il socio proprietario dell'impostazione, ha vietato trasportare il trasporto vino e messo ai banchetti, disponendo che tale vino debba essere trasferito via mare o per ferrovia. Per integrare tale provvedimento è stata concessa un'unica licenza al suddetto cittadino la quale è consentito il trasporto vino con autocarri solamente dai porti di partita o imbarco ed agli scali ferroviari o dei porti di sbocco e stazioni ferroviarie di arrivo al controllo doganale, per distanza non superiore a 100 Km. e pure nei tratti di controllo non serviti da ferrovie.

3º) — Questa Direzione pertanto si trova nella impossibilità di autorizzare il questo richiesta non potendo in alcun modo contravvenire alle prese norme esposte.

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Il Direttore Generale
L. M. M.

RS/gb

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

EXT :566

REF :AC/28/25/Tn5

SUBJECT :Trucks hauling wine

TO :Mr. G. GROSS
Chief Roads Division-Transportation S/C
A.O.H.Q.

17 May 1945

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The following Trucks were found on the road hauling wine during our recent trip :

1) Truck № 72062 Roma and trailer № 2320 Roma- in Pescara at 1530 hrs of 15 May carrying 106.72 Qls of wine from Lecce to Perugia - Bearing Circulating Permit from ENAC-Rome and Trip Ticket № 29135 issued by ENAC - Ufficio Provinciale Autotrasporti-Perugia authorizing haulage of wine and valid from 12/5/45 to 17/5/45 . Circulating permit and Trip ticket were sequestered by Dr. Triassi of the Ministry of Transport .

It appears that this same truck had been stopped once before for the same offence by a flying squad comprising Lt. Natali of the Italian Guardie di Finanze, who took away the circulating permit, which eventually was returned to the owners, the SACET Company of Rome .

The trip was made on request of Sezione Provinciale Alimentazione (SEPRAL) of Perugia , as part of a programme dated 30/4/45 , for the haulage by road of 5000 Qls of wine from the Puglie Region .

2) Truck № 12605 (Forli) and trailer № 1285 FO-in Pescara at 1550 hrs of 15 May- carrying 100 Qls ^{wine} from San Severo to Forli Bearing Trip Ticket № FO 2325- issued by Forli Truck ^{F&O} authorizing haulage of wine , on request № 1288 , and valid from 12/5/45 to 14/5/45 .

Questioned as to why they were on the road, after Trip ticket had expired, drivers said they had had to stop at Serracapriola for repairs . Discrepancies were found in respect of :

TO

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Questioned as to why they were on the road, after Trip ticket had expired, drivers said they had had to stop at Serracapriola for repairs . Discrepancies were found in respect of :

- a) the type of engine, which was stated on the circulation licence for truck № 12605 FO as being a diesel engine, whereas the actual engine was a petrol one ;
- b) the trailer № which was stated on the Trip Ticket as being № 1312 FO , whereas the actual № of the trailer was 1285 .

Truck-owner : SALGA Company .

3.) Truck № 4413 TR (Terni) and trailer № 92 TR -on Route № 5 near Popoli at 1530 hrs of 16 May - Carrying 150 Qls of wine from San Severo to Terni - Bearing Circulation Permit № 178991 due to expire on 30/4/45 (driver states it has been protracted to 31/5/45) -and Trip Ticket № 2766 of 9/5/45 issued by "ENAC" Authorized Truck Pool-Terni , authorizing haulage of wine . Owner of the wine, Tommasi Pierino , Via Bezzecca 10 -Terni , travelling on the truck , definitely stated that Trip Ticket had been issued on his request to ENAC Offices in Terni . Trip Ticket and Circulation permit were sequestered by Dr . Triassi .

Dr.Ing.Renato Santameria

Dr. Renato Santameria

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TRANSLATION

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MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS
General Inspector's Office
of Civilian Motorization &
Transportation by Concession

Rome, 12th May 1945
to Mr. Antolini
Vice-President Economic Sect.
I.C. Rome:

Movement & Traffic Control Division

Ref. 2401/1945

Subject: Transportation of Wine.

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In reference to your letter 15-07/ES-AG/21/31/Tn/soz
April 19th does to point out the following.

The breach of laws committed by the Transporters have
been declared by the same officers who took part in the inspection
carried out on the 4th and 6th April ult., to the proper judicial
authorities, according to the Decree law of the 17th August 1944
no 188 concerning the institution of the E.M.A.C.

The permit of circulation has been withdrawn from said
transporters.

As for the breach of law committed by the personnel of
the E.M.A.C., a carried out a scrupulous investigation, and as soon
it is finished we will see to punishing the guilty with the utmost
severity.

As regards the above I wish to point out that the
orders given to the management of the E.M.A.C. concerning the pro-
hibition of transporting wine were issued on the 31st March ult.,
while it note is that the engagements were only informed as to
said, for instance Benevento and Avellino, on the 12th April.

As confirmation of the above is the fact that in the
second inspection, carried out by the same officers between the
15th and the 23rd April, only four cases of infringement were found,
and these are committed only by the transporter themselves who
had falsified their documents. Said infringements have been duly
decided.

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The A.G. will be fully informed as to my further measures which will be taken and in the meanwhile due publicity will be given to some in the press.

We shall therefore write to you again in due course.

THE ATTENDER OF
CEREMONIES



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Roma 15.07

Ministero delle Comunicazioni

ISPETTORATO GENERALE DELLA MOTORIZZAZIONE CIVILE
E DEI TRASPORTI IN CONCESSIONE

Direttore Ufficio Trasporto Traffico
Prot. n. 2m/c/1/9415 *Mugnai*
OCCERTO Trasporto vino.

Mr Signor

A.G. ANTOLINI

V. Presidente Sezione Economica
Comando Commissione alleate

Roma

Proposta di

Urg. P. 31/2

Con riferimento alla Sua lettera 15-07/ES-AC/28/31/Tn 5 del

19 aprile s.m. si fa presente quanto segue.

Le infrazioni commesse dai trasportatori sono state fatte dallo stesso Uffiziale della Guardia di Finanza, che ha preso parte alle note ispezioni eseguite dal 4 al 6 aprile s.m., denunciata alle competenti Autorità Giudiziarie, in conformità a quanto prevede il D.L. 17 agosto 1944 n. 188, istitutivo dell'ENAC. In linea amministrativa è stato, nei casi medesimi mantenuto il ritiro dei permessi di circolazione.

Per ciò che concerne le infrazioni commesse da persone dell'Ente, si è provveduto subito a rigorosi accertamenti. Non appena questi saranno definiti si provvederà con la massima severità e carico dei responsabili.

Al riguardo si fa presente che la disposizione imposta dalla Direzione dell'ENAC è intesa a proibire i trasporti di vino risalente al giorno 31 di marzo, mentre risultate già ad alcune Direzioni, quelli Benevento ed Avellino, è pervenuta solo il 12 aprile.

A convallata di quanto scritto si fa fatto che nella seconda ispezione, compiuta dagli stessi ufficiali dal 15 al 23 dello scorso aprile, sono stati rilevati soli quattro casi di infrazione e comunque solamente dai trasportatori stessi i quali hanno elencato i de-

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Quali conseguenze ed eventuali, è pervenuto solo il 12 aprile. A conoscenza di quanto sopra sta il fatto che nella seconda 15 aprile, compiuta dagli stessi uffiziali dal 15 al 23 dello scorso mes-

si sollecita dai trasportatori stessi i quali hanno liberato i documenti di viaggio. Anche in questi casi si è provveduto a sporgere denunce.

Di tutti gli ulteriori provvedimenti che saranno presi, verrà informata codesta Commissione e nel contempo sarà detta opportuno pubblicare.

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Ulteriori attivita' in stampa.
Si riserva pertanto di far seguito alle presenti.

IL MINISTRO

Crosta

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSIONER Phone: 489081

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Ref: AD/BB/70/PnS

12 May 1945.

SUBJECT: Irregular Haulage of Wine by Road.

TO : Regional Commissioner - Toscana Region.

1. Reference your letter RVIII/66/10/94 dated 8 May 1945.

2. Attached hereto is copy of ENAC letter Ca/Movimenti (undated) regarding further case arising in your Florence Transportation Office where steps were ~~being~~ taken to persuade ENAC to issue work ticket for the haulage of wine from Puglie to Grosseto.

3. In view of your above mentioned letter, a full explanation is required as to why this work ticket was issued and why the hirer was advised to apply to ENAC, Rome for a work ticket enabling him to go to Puglie for wine. It appears that the Director or Staff of the Florence office are acting directly in contravention of your instructions and you are directed to take strong action against the person responsible.

By Command of Rear Admiral SPONE:



G. VERNISHOUGH
Lt. Colonel, RA

Encl.-

copy ENAC ltr w/encls.

cc: ENAC - Piazza Croce Rossa

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Ente Nazionale Aeronautica

ISTITUTO DI DIRITTO PUBBLICO
D.LL. 17 AGOSTO 1944 N. 186

DIREZIONE GENERALE

CA/Movimento Ca. My 2

ROME

To the

ALLIED COMMISSION

Transportation Sub Commission

Objetto: trasporto di vino

SUBJECT: haulage of wine

1. - Siamo informati dalla "Società Forniture Statali - Roma - Via Volturino 51", che, in relazione a trattative in corso col Comune di Prato per una fornitura di vino, aveva chiesto il necessario foglio di via.
2. - L'autorità di Prato inviò alle ditte stessa un foglio di viaggio come da copia accusata (allegato A), la invitò ad indirizzare al Governatore di Prato apposita lettera (allegato B) e le disse di rivolgersi all'E.N.A.C. di Roma per ottenere il foglio di via per il trasporto di vino dalle Puglie a Grosseto, dietro esibizione della suddetta lettera (vista da 1° Ufficiale dell'A.M.G.).
3. - Naturalmente ci siamo astenuti dal rilasciare qualsiasi foglio di viaggio, ma richiamiamo la Vostra attenzione sul fatto che sembra che non tutti gli uffici dell'A.M.G. siano al corrente delle limitazioni circa il trasporto di vino.
1. - Obviously we did not deliver any work ticket, but we call your attention to the fact that it seems that not all the offices of the A.M.G. are informed with the limitations on the haulage of wine.

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE

THE GENERAL MANAGER

Am. C.A./Movimento
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Recebido 10/10/1943

Oggetto: trasporto di vino

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1. - We are informed by the "Società Forniture Statali - Roma - Via Volturno 51" that, being in connection with the Comune of Prato for supplying some quantities of wine, they asked for the necessary transport permit.
2. - From Prato Authorities they received a work ticket like copy here enclosed (appendix A), were asked to address to the Governor of Prato a letter (appendix B) and were addressed to U.N.A.C. ROME for obtaining, on exhibition of above mentioned letter (bearing the stamp of the Official of the A.M.G.), the work ticket for the haulage of the wine from the Fuglie to Grosseto.
3. - Obviously we did not deliver any work ticket, but we call your attention to the fact that it seems that not all the Offices of the A.M.G. are informed with the limitations on the haulage of wine.

IL DIRETTORE GENERALE

THE GENERAL MANAGER

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IL MINISTRO DEI TRASPORTI

Roma,

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M.M.

Mio Caro Colonnello THOMAS,

Ho ricevuto la Sua lettera n° AC/28/47/Tn5 dell'aprile 1945, riguardante la nota questione dei trasporti vini e relativa regolamentazione.

Sono lieto della iniziativa di tenere una conferenza al riguardo, il cui risultato apporterà notevole beneficio alla risoluzione del problema di che trattasi, che ha molta importanza nell'economia del Paese.

Ringrazio moltissimo delle continue premure e dell'interessamento che Lei porta per tutte le questioni italiane e sono sicuro che dalla Sua operosa attività scaturirà molto bene per il mio Paese.

Cordiali saluti

Cesaroni

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Colonnello M.B. THOMAS
Transportation Sub Commission
Comando Commissione Alleata

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Via Veneto

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IL MINISTRO DEI TRASPORTI

Rome,

My dear Col. Thomas,

I have duly received your letter N° AC/28/47/Tn 5
of April 1945, in regard to the known question of the transport
of wine and according rules.

I am pleased of the initiative to hold a meeting
on the matter, sure that it will develop benefit for the re-
solution of the problem which is of great importance for the
economy of Italy.

I want to thank you indeed for your constant in-
terest of the Italian welfare, and I am sure that your active
work will do a lot of good to my country.

Your very truly

Francesco Cerabona

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Col. M.B. THOMAS
Transportation Sub-Commission AC

Via Veneto

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Rome 27 of April 1945

My dear Mr. Antolini,

I have received your letter 15.07/ES AC/28.31/Tn.5 of the 19th of April 1945, regarding the inconveniences of EMAC.

As soon as I return from a visit to the Plants of Petrace Bridge on the Railway line Napoli-Reggio, I assure you that I will, personally take the matter in hand and provide for with energetic measure against all the responsables, and also give publicity, as you rightly suggest, to each case.

Thank you for the report very well done, it will help to eliminate abnormality and contributes to better the functioning of the Trasporti Merci, to which I dedicate a particular and constant interest.

Yours very truly

Francesco Cerasona

To A.º ANTOLINI
Acting Vice President
Economic Section, Allied Commission

ROME

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IL MINISTRO DEI TRASPORTI

Roma, 27.4.67

Mio Caro Sig. Antolini,

ho ricevuto la Sua lettera n° 15.07/Ea-Ac/28-31/Tn.5
del 19 aprile, riguardante gli inconvenienti rilevati sul fun-
zionamento dell'E.N.A.C.

Non appena, al più presto ritornerò dalla visita agli impianti del pon-
te sul Petrace, sulla Napoli Reggio Calabria, Le assicuro che
personalmente mi interesserò perché vengano espletate accurate
indagini e presi energici provvedimenti a carico di tutti i re-
sponsabili, e darò pubblicità, giusto condiviso suggerimento.

Ringrazio moltissimo per le segnalazioni, in quanto
l'eliminazione delle anomalie contribuirà in modo efficace al
miglioramento dei trasporti delle merci, al quale mi dedico con
particolare e costante interesse.

Cordiali saluti

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Sig. A. G. ANTOLINI
Acting Vice President
Economic Section, Allied Commission
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Movements of Wine

1. This instruction refers to the movement of Wine and all alcoholic liquors on the mainland of Italy south of the Northern Territory Boundary i.e. the Northern boundaries of the following Provinces:- RAVENNA, FIRENZE, PISTOIA, LUCCA and APUANIA. Separate instructions will be issued concerning movement of wine in Northern Territory.

2. The term wine used hereafter in this instruction will include Wine, Spirits and all alcoholic beverages and includes alcohol for use in the manufacture of alcoholic beverages.

3. Movement by Sea.

In accordance with arrangements made with High Commissioner for Food the principle method of movement to be used for Wine will be Sea.

Full particulars of the procedure for securing shipping movement are given in this H.Q. Shipping Instruction No 8 dated 21 March 1945, Ref AC/501/21/TN.3.

4. Movement by Rail.

The movement of Wine from Production Centres to Port of Shipment and from Port of discharge to consignee will be by rail from and to the nearest railway station. Movement of Wine by rail from Production Centres to Consignees (consumption centres) may take place only when authorized by the High Commissioner for Food, through his Compartimental representatives, provided that such movement is within the total tonnage allocated for the movement of non rationed foodstuffs.

Full particulars of the procedure for securing movement by rail are given in this H.Q. Movements Division - Rail - Memorandum No 4 dated 23 February 1945, Ref 363/4/Tn3.

5. Movement by Road.

(a) Movement of Wine by Road is prohibited excepting in the following instances :-
(i) From Production Centres to nearest railway station or Port of shipment whichever is the nearest.
(ii) From Production Centres to Port of Shipment where the distance does not exceed 30 Kms or where there is no railway service. *Nearest railway*
(iii) From nearest railway station or Port of discharge, (whichever is the nearest) to consignee warehouse.
(iv) From Port of discharge to consignees warehouse where the distance does not exceed 30 Kms, or where there is no railway service.

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3. Movement by Sea.

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- (v) Inter Communal movement where distance does not exceed 30 Kms, or where rail facilities do not exist.

(b) For information the following are (translated) copies of messages issued by ENAC General Manager in ROME to all Provincial Offices:-

- (i) ROME 30 March 1945.
Notwithstanding categoric prohibition there are still lorries loaded with wine, juice and alcohol. Serious measures will be taken against managers not carrying out their duties.
- (ii) ROME 14 April 1945.

(ii) ROME 4 April 1945.
Accordingly with Food High Commissioner it was
disposed that wine haulage with motor trucks is authorized
only from production centres to nearest rail stations and
shipping ports and from arrival rail stations and ports
to the consumption localities so far no existing working
railroads and in any case within petrol availability. All
offices will strictly follow above mentioned instructions.
In any case no exception can be authorized for movement
above 100 Kms. Any infraction will be severely punished.
give telegraphic ack.

(iii) This message sent to SICILY only.

ROME 30 March 1945.

Due grave deficiency tyres, carburetters impossible
transport wine, liquors with lorries. To avoid that lorries
coming from SICILY be stopped at REGGIO Please deny load-
ing MESSINA. High Commissioner for Food assures will provi-
de schooners and wagons for such traffic.

(c) All AC Officers will assist ENAC in their efforts in
Italian Government Territory by restraining from authorising AC or
W.D. Vehicles to load wine.

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this instruction is complied with.

✓ 6. High Commissioner for Food is requested to bring to the no-
tice of all wine producers and dealers the facilities which do
exist for the movement of wine.

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Transportation Sub-Commission : Director.

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Planning Staff.
Movements Div.-Rail Branch.
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Capt. R.E.Cook.

Maj. V.R.Bowers

- AMG Naples Commune.

Maj. R.C.Marks

- " "

Maj. W.T.Martin

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Capt. T.E.Ramsey

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Lt. A.M. Clark

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Lt.Irving Strand

- " "

Maj.C.W.G. Taylor

- Br In Officer.AC Bari

Capt. S.C. Hall

- Rail Tr Offr.AC Bari

Capt. R.J. Woodcock - Rail In Off. AC Bari
Capt. E.W. Dean - c/o ISR Capo-Compartimento
Rome.
Capt. J.N. Rowes - ALCOM Port Liaison Officer
- Civitavecchia.
Capt. F.R. Price - ALCOM Trans Off c/o
Town Major. Aquileia.
Lt. A.N.F. Webb - c/o AC Toscana Region.
Regional Commissioner. Umbria-Marche Region.
" " Emilia Region.
" " Toscana Region.
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AMG 5 Army
AMG 8 Army
HQ. AC. Motor Transport Group (MAP) (5)
Cap. J.S. Billinghamst. No. 1 Truck Pool AC, FOGGIA
Cap. J.W. Dodds, No. 2 Truck Pool AC, CAMPOBASSO, c/o ARMY SIGNALS,
TERMOLI.

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U.M.I.A. for Movements Liaison Officer (50) for distribution to
Alto Commissariato per l'Alimentazione (50) for distribution to SEPRALS.
Feder. Ital. Consorzi Agrari (50), for distribution to Consorzi
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E.N.A.C.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 794
ECONOMIC SECTION

GG/LDD/es

15-07/ES
AC/2e/31/Tns

19 April 1945

M.M.

My dear Mr. Minister:

Reports have been received from senior officers of APHC that they have observed many civilian road vehicles travelling about the country with wine. This was contrary to your orders and was not in accordance with the agreement with APHC whereby they allotted shipping for wine in order that road transport might be used for other essential traffic.

A party consisting of 5 officers from this Headquarters, one representative of ENAC and one Guardia Finance, made a short tour of a period of 3 days from 4 to 6 April 1945. The report on this tour is attached hereto. From it you will observe that 26 instances of breaches of regulations were discovered. Not only were owners of vehicles and drivers apparently guilty but also there is grave suspicion that certain ENAC officials are not performing their duties with zeal and integrity. This state of affairs is viewed with extreme concern and you are requested to follow up the cases quoted in the attached report.

It is believed that it will be helpful in the stamping out of the "black market" and in securing the confidence of the Italian people in connection with the efforts being made to provide an efficient distribution system, if examples can be made of the guilty parties and publicity given their cases.

I would appreciate it if you would be kind enough to inform me of your decision and the action taken on this matter.

Very truly yours,

(sgd) A. G. Antolini

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A. G. ANTOLINI
Acting Vice President
Economic Section

Encl - Report

HIS EXCELLENCY FRANCESCO CERABONA
Ministry of Transport
Piazza della Croce Rossa
Rome

cc: Transportation S/C

Tel. 378

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TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION

APR 29 4

Ref: AC/28/31/145
11 April 1945.

His Excellency,
Francesco Caramone,
Ministry of Transport,
Rome.
None.

Dear Mr. Minister:

Reports have been received from senior officers of AFHQ that they have observed many civilian road vehicles travelling about the country roads. This was contrary to war-time regulations and was not in accordance with the agreement with AFHQ whereby the allotted vehicles for the Italian orders that road transport might be used for other essential traffic.

A party consisting of 3 officers from this Headquarters, 1 representative of MAC and 1 Gendarmerie Finance made a short tour of a period of 8 days from 4 to 8 April 1945. The report to the Army Headquarters. From it you will observe that instances of breaches of regulations were discovered. Not only were owners of vehicles and drivers conscientious, guilty but also others performing their duties with certain MAC officials are not performing their duties with zeal and integrity. This state of affairs is viewed with extreme concern and you are requested to follow up this case noted in the attached report.

If you can arrange to make estimates of any guilty parties by suggesting them the most severe penalties committed by law and give prominence to the daily papers to such findings, it is believed that you will have taken a big forward step in the stemming out of these practices which are securing the confidence of the Italian people in the efforts being made to provide a transportation system.

It is requested that you will, as soon as possible, note the decisions reached in each of the instances reported on in the attached.

Very truly yours,

A. C. MULLIN
Acting Vice-President,
Economic Section,
Enclosure - Report

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HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED COMMISSION (CHINABAD)
O.P./rel
APO 394

File : 340

SUBJECT: Recruitment of U.S. Army Officers of the Allied Commission
for Employment with the Foreign Economic Administration
and State Department.

TO : U.S. Army Officers assigned to 2675th Regiment, Allied
Commission, (Overhead).

1. There is in the process of development a procedure which will
enable U.S. Army officers who have evidenced their desire to do so,
and who are found to be qualified, to be relieved from active duty
from the Army of the United States and immediately re-employed in
this headquarters for a position with the appropriate U.S. Government
civilian agency.

2. The purpose of this letter is to advise you that there will
be a limited number of civilian employment opportunities open and
to afford you a chance to be considered for one of them in the
event your qualifications are related to one of the positions to
be filled.

3. The U.S. Government employees who will fill these assignments
will be recruited from either or both of the two following sources:

- a. Present Army officer (U.S.) personnel of the Allied
Commission.
- b. Civilians recruited in the United States.

The former source will be given initial preference.

4. The employing agencies will be the Foreign Economic
Administration and the Auxiliary Foreign Service of the State
Department. The Foreign Economic Administration is a war agency
created by the President to bring together in one organization all
United States foreign economic functions. Included in the work of
this Administration are responsibility for administering the Land-
lease program and the conducting of the United States economic warfare
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