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FED. Federazione Consorzi Agrari  
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NOTE: Application of Decree N. 370  
dated 28th May 1945.

By Decree N. 370 dated 28th May 1945 all goods supplied by the allied governments to the Italian Government must be consigned on behalf of the State, to the I.C.A. that will receive all the documents, and will account the various shipments with the competent allied authorities.

To know that the allied authorities have requested the strict application of this decree. The Federazione Consorzi Agrari will therefore immediately take contact with the I.C.A. for applying what above stated.

per THE MINISTER  
storoni

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TO: Ministry of Industry & Commerce

FROM: Economic Section A. G.  
Requisition Branch\*\*

PAPER FILE: n. 41604

SUBJECT: Application of decree n. 570 dated  
28th May 1945

2nd October 1945

Cable N.Y.C.U.S.A. n. 770487 dated 21st September 1945  
that you have forwarded to us, established the policy for  
the consignment of allied goods in Italian ports and re-  
quests information about the Italian Government agents  
that will affect the allocations."

I would like to remind you that with the Decree  
n. 570 dated 28th May 1945, the Italian Government created  
the I.G.I. as sole authorized body for the reception of  
all allied goods, except fuel and coal."

Up till now this decree has not been fully applied,  
also because allied Commission often sent notifications  
noted to other bodies."

I attach a copy of the letter that we have sent  
to the Federazione Conservi Agraria, and we would be partic-  
ularly grateful if you would co-operate in its application,  
by ordering that by the 15th October all documents, and by  
consequence the consignments of food products and goods for  
agriculture should be done exclusively to the I.G.I.

cc: THE MINISTER  
Borsari

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APC 394  
COMMERCE SUBCOMMISSION

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Ref. AG/3127/A/Commerce

11 October 1945

SUBJECT: Disposition of Imported Supplies

MEMORANDUM TO : Brig. Gen. MCKINLEY

1. Reference Gen. MCKINLEY's letter 20.02/33 of 3 October and letter of Transportation S/C 9/7/1614/TN6 of 2 October 1945.

2. The entire question of the distribution of clothing and shoes was discussed on 9 October by the under-secretary of Industry, Dr. Lombardo, the head of the Commercial Section of I.C.E., Dr. Borden, and Mr. White of this Sub-Commission.

3. The clothing and shoes which were requisitioned in the U.S. for Italian needs in December 1944 began arriving in Italy in the latter half of June of this year. At the time of the first arrivals the opinion was given by the Economic Section that the materials should be turned over to the Italian Government for distribution.

4. Therefore notification notes when received by Commerce S/C were forwarded to the Ministry of Industry and Commerce with the following instructions : "that I.C.E. would make an inventory of all goods received and that the s/m Ministry would draw up the plan of distribution". In addition a copy of the list of all materials notified from N.Y. as being called forward for shipment was sent to I.C.E. and the Ministry for aid in making the inventory and the distribution program.

5. At present in broad outlines the distribution program is ready; viz. the proportions that the various

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provinces, agencies, etc. will receive of each item is fixed and as rapidly as the inventories are prepared the allocations are made.

5. The great difficulty which the Italian Government has had to face is the shortage of warehouses which can be used by I.C.E. for a period of several weeks while inventories can be made. It must be pointed out that the making of the inventory is a long, arduous task for the clothing arrives marked merely as such and is packed in enormous boxes and bales. Each one must be opened, inspected and the contents counted. The clothing is both new and used and there are some thirty-three separate items. Therefore when one considers that there have arrived to date several thousand tons of clothing, etc. the enormity of the task may be appreciated.

7. The majority of the clothing has arrived in Naples but it has been impossible to find the necessary warehouse space in that city. I.C.E. has one very small warehouse in Naples and that contains newsprint. Federazione Consorzio Agrario and Alocm refused to extend warehouse facilities to I.C.E. for the time necessary to make the inventories. Thus all the material was forwarded to Rome for warehousing and inventorying with the inevitable delays involved due to lack of freight wagons, etc. The first lot of clothing arrived in Rome in August but in addition to making the inventory it was found necessary to disinfect the same (several hundred tons). This clothing was finally prepared and the inventories were forwarded to the Ministry of Industry & Commerce on 29 Sept. On 2 October, Dr. Lombardo made allocations of the same and deliveries have begun. The recipients were :

Ministry of Post - War Assistance (for refugees)

Ministry of Telecommunications

SiS

" " Transportation

8. The second and a larger lot of clothing was shipped from Naples to Rome only ten days ago and is now being inventoried. This was combined with lots that arrived

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at Civitavecchia.

9. The clothing at Genoa arrived on 29 July and the inventories were ready on 20 September. Unfortunately the copies forwarded to Rome have never arrived and no allocations have been made. However, Mr. White has agreed to furnish further lists immediately and distribution will definitely begin on 15-16 October.

10. The Ministry of Industry and Commerce regrets every delay as much as AC and is working just as rapidly as possible. The entire matter rests in the hands of Dr. Lombardo and he has promised immediate allocations and distribution whenever inventories are available. This Sub-Commission has agreed to aid in the distribution if necessary in ANG areas.

11. In the light of the foregoing information it would be appreciated if Gen. McKinley will consider further the necessity for forwarding a letter to the Ministry of Industry and Commerce as proposed in the second paragraph of the letter of 3 October under reference.

H. A. FENT  
Major  
Director  
Commerce Subcommission

Copy to:

Economic Sec: (Industry & Commerce Div.)

" " (Supply " )

Transportation S/C \_\_\_\_\_

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
ECONOMIC SECTION

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ES/1g

Ref. AC/5123/DIR/Commerce

10 November 1945

SUBJECT: Delay in the Distribution of Supplies  
Imported for the Civilian Population

TO : Prof. Giovanni Gronchi  
Minister of Industry and Commerce

1. Reference is made to the letter of the Economic Section of 13 October AC/5203/DIR/Commerce on the above subject and in particular to paragraphs three and four thereof dealing with the delay in distribution arising out of the operation of inventorying supplies in the hands of I.C.E.

2. Through Ports and Warehousing Division of Transportation Sub-Commission on or about 18 October last it was discovered by Commerce Sub-Commission that there exist in the files of the Chief Accountant's office, Finance Sub-Commission, detailed shipping lists covering practically all imported supplies which were the subject of the letter under reference. Dr. Boronni of the Istituto Comercio Estero (ICE) was immediately invited to come to this HQ and was personally shown these lists, which should, in the main, render the preparation of detailed inventories by ICE unnecessary, thus eliminating any reason for delay in the distribution of these supplies on account of inventorying by that organization. He had brought with him an I.C.E. official who is in charge of this work, and arrangements were made with Finance Sub-Commission for the records in question to be made available to I.C.E., which would immediately set a clerical staff to work extracting the required information.

3. Some ten days later, other officials of I.C.E. approached Commerce Sub-Commission and asked for the

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shipping records in question to be placed at their disposal so that the necessary information could be extracted. A second time appropriate arrangements were made with the Chief Accountant's office, and, in view of the time which had already been lost in not availing themselves of these records, an effort was made to impress upon the representatives of I.C.E. the urgency of the matter. However, it has been observed that, in spite of every facilitation afforded the I.C.E. in this connection, actual work on copying out the shipping lists did not begin until 2 November.

4. In view of the impending approach of winter and the hardship which will inevitably be caused by failure to provide for timely distribution of the quantities of clothing, footwear, blankets and other articles which have been imported by the Allied Governments, this HQ cannot but deplore such additional unnecessary delays. It would seem opportune to point out also that, should the fact of many thousands of tons of these supplies being needlessly held back from distribution become a matter of general knowledge and discussion in the press, this could hardly fail to have the effect of placing Italian Government in an unfavourable light, not only in the eyes of the Italian public, but also in those quarters from which additional supplies are being sought at the present time.

HARLAN CLEVELAND  
Acting Vice President

Copies to: Transportation S/C  
Economic Section  
Industry & Commerce Div.  
Supply Division

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ISTITUTO NAZIONALE  
PER IL COMMERCIO ESTERO

Catania, November 3rd 1945.

N. 1385 Pos. 8/7  
DA CITARE NELLA RISPOSTA

SUBJECT : Statement of the goods stocked in private warehouses  
waiting for shipment.

Ref. AC/5127/71 of 17 April 1945.

There is herewith enclosed a list of the goods stocked  
in private warehouses up to October 31st 1945, waiting for shipment.

*Cesare Giulivi*

Cesare Giulivi  
Catania ICE Office Manager

Catania, 3 Novembre 1945

OGGETTO : Resoconto delle merci giacenti nei magazzini privati in  
attesa di imbarco, alla data del 31 Ottobre 1945.

Rif. AC/5127/71 del 17 Aprile 1945.

Unitamente alla presente si rimette, in allegato, un  
elenco delle merci giacenti nei magazzini privati in attesa di  
imbarco.

Con osservanza

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UFFICIO I.C.E. CATANIA  
( Cesare Giulivi )

To :  
ALLIED COMMISSION  
Commerce Sub-Commission  
Foreign Trade Division  
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ALLIED COMMISSION  
Transportation Sub-Commission  
Foreign Trade Division  
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MINISTRY OF WAR TRANSPORT  
C A T A N I A

ISTITUTO COMMERCIO ESTERO

R O M A

e, p.c. : UFFICIO I.C.E. = MESSINA

ELLENCO DELLE MERCI GIACENTI NEI MAGAZZINI PRIVATI IN ATTESA DI IMBARCO.  
LIST OF THE GOODS STOCKED IN PRIVATE WAREHOUSES WAITING FOR SHIPMENT.

Merci Goods	Fornitore Supplier	Nº colli No. packages	Peso lordo Gross weight	Peso netto Net weight	Peso netto Net weight
			Kgs	Kgs	Kgs
Tartaro grezzo al: bitartrato di po: tassa. (Raw tartar)	Miceli Gaetano, titolare della Ditta F. MICELI AINIS = CATANIA	285	25.650,=	25.180,=	
Tartaro grezzo al: l'acido tartarico (Argols)	idem ditto	558	50.220,=	49.255,=	
Semi di senape (Mustard seed)	G.D'Arrigo Tiralongo Cattanea	1700	170.000,=	167.280,=	
Essenza di limone (Lemon oil)	S.A.Arenella W.Sanderson A.D'Agata fu S. G. D'Agata	100 142 26 22	3.696,= 4.884,8! 918,8! 813,4!	2.500,= 3.220,5 637,5 543,=	
Essenza bergamotto (Bergamot oil)	Ammasso bergamotto	286	12.012,=	7.264,4	
Radiche per pipe (Briarwood)	Dei Libero Serrano P. Giacobbe P.	50 50 50	3.691,= 3.300,= 3.748,=	3.641,= 3.250,= 3.698,=	
T O T A L I :		278.944,=	266.469,4		
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ISTITUTO NAZIONALE  
PER IL COMMERCIO ESTERO

N. 1384 Pos. 3/7  
DA CITARE NELLA RISPOSTA

Catania, November 3rd 1945

SUBJECT : Statement of shipments for exportation during Oct. 1945.

Ref. AC/5127/71 of 17 April 1945.

You are informed that no shipment of goods for exportation through ICE has been effected directly from the zone of jurisdiction of this Office during the month of October 1945.

*Cesare Giulivi*

Cesare Giulivi  
Catania ICE Office Manager

Catania, 3 Novembre 1945

OGGETTO : Rendiconto delle spedizioni per esportazione. Mese di Ottobre 1945.

Riferimento AC/5127/71 del 17 Aprile 1945.

Si comunica che dalla giurisdizione di questo Ufficio non sono state effettuate direttamente, durante il mese di Ottobre, spedizioni di merci in esportazione, tramite ICE.

Con osservanza

To :

ALLIED COMMISSION  
Commerce Sub-Commission  
Foreign Trade Division  
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UFFICIO I.C.E. CATANIA  
( Cesare Giulivi )

*Cesare Giulivi*

ALLIED COMMISSION  
Transportation Sub-Commission  
Foreign Trade Division  
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ISTITUTO COMMERCIO ESTERO  
R O M A

e, p.o. :  
UFFICIO I.C.E.  
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
Public Health Sub-Commission

7.4  
CMF/no  
26 October, 1945

AC/3072/13/PH

Subject : - Notification of Arrival of Medical Supplies.

To : - Transportation Sub-Commission

1. The attached copy of a letter from the High Commissioner for Public Health is forwarded for your information.

2. It is requested that notification of the arrival of vessels carrying medical supplies be sent direct to the High Commissioner for Public Health, ICE and to ENDMEA.

*Indigent*  
G. M. FRIZELLE  
Colonel,  
Deputy Director  
Public Health Sub-Commission

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Copy to : High Commissioner for Public Health.

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HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH

Div. VII/E Sez. U.M.A.

No. 20400.5.AG.47.4923

Rome, 20 October 1945

Subject : - Arrival of Ships with Medical Supplies

To : - AC. Public Health Sub-Commission

ENDIMEA has informed me that information relative to the arrival of ships carrying medical supplies is not received with sufficient notice. Information to the above effect is being received when the ships have already docked and the cargo is ready for collection.

The above procedure has also been noticed by this Office. We often receive the "Notification Notes" dispatched by the Economic Section with a delay of several days. The date shown on these Notes was in some cases only three days in advance of the actual arrival of the goods.

It is clear that not to receive this information with due notice, or to receive it with great delay or not at all, and to obtain uncertain particulars as to the Port of unloading (for instance: "Bari-Ancona" as indicated in Note No. 426 dated 15.9.45) create difficulties, work and expenses, apart from the risks connected with the goods remaining unguarded on the docks and wharves for a long period of time.

I should be glad if you would approach the Economic Section with a view to obtain that adequate notice be given both to ICE and to me (possibly also to ENDIMEA directly) regarding the arrival of ships with medical supplies for the Italian Government.

A courteous and, if possible, early acknowledgment of this letter will be appreciated.

Sgd. Solimena  
for High Commissioner

For information to: Ministry of Treasury Rome  
" Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero, Rome

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

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11 Oct. 1945

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SUBJECT : I.C.E.'s Consignee Receiving Reports.

TO : Transportation Sub-Commission  
Port and Warehouse Division  
Attn. Major Klein.

1. Federazione Italiana dei Consorzi Agrari's letter, ref. 1701-MB/DR-Depot 676 dated 21st September, together with the copy correspondence they have had with I.C.E., has been passed to this Sub-Commission for attention, and is returned herewith.
2. It appears that the attitude taken by I.C.E. is correct, as they have already given receiving reports on behalf of the Italian Government for the goods in question, and so have assumed direct responsibility for the custody of the goods.
3. It is the opinion of this Sub-Commission that an Allied officer should not order the movement of such goods unless he ensures that the Consignee Receiving Report requested by I.C.E. is first procured.

*BEL*  
Realty Director,  
Finance Sub-Commission.

Copies to:

Federazione Italiana dei Consorzi Agrari	- Rome
" " " "	- Naples
I.C.E. Palazzo Maddaloni	- Naples
I.C.E. Via Torino	- Rome

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*Federazione Italiana dei Consorzi Agrari*  
FONDATA NEL 1892 — SEDE CENTRALE ROMA — REGISTRO IMPRESE ROMA

UFFICIO INTERREGIONALE DI NAPOLI  
WAREHOUSES MANAGEMENT

Per telegrammi:  
FEDERCONSORZI - NAPOLI  
Telefono 13177

TO : H.Q. ALLIED COMMISSION AFC 394  
Sub-Commission  
Port & Warehouses Division  
(Attn. Maj. R. H. Klein)

Ref. N° 1701 - MB/DR - Depot 576.

NAPOLI 21 September 1945.  
Via Ludovico Sanfelice, N. 23

SUBJECT : RECEIVING REPORTS OF CREDIT.

1. Herewith attached please find copy of correspondence  
changed with I.C.E. on the above subject.

2. Will you kindly give us, possibly, instructions about  
I.C.E. requirements, concerning the eventual delivery of I.C.E.  
goods to Agencies or Allied Offices.

Yours truly,  
FEDERAZIONE ITALIANA DEI CONSORZI AGRARI  
UFFICIO INTERREGIONALE DI NAPOLI  
DIRETTORE  
R. DINI MORE

ENCLOSURES : N° 4 copies of letters.

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7/10/45  
Mr. Conn  
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INSTITUTO NAZIONALE  
PER IL CANTIERE ESTERNO

TRANSMISSION

Naples, 27 August 1945  
(Palazzo Maddaloni)  
Phone: 52-726.

SUBJECT : GOODS ON I.C.E. CHARGE - WITHDRAWAL AT I.C.E. BY ALLIED  
MILITARY AGENCIES.

With reference to explanations just got from A.C.C., Finance  
S/C, regarding the application of the instructions laid down in their  
executive Memorandum N° 2 of 26 February 1945 and in the circular  
letter N° 13557/T/A of 27th March 1945, concerning the collections of  
goods on I.C.E. charge from the warehouses managed by the Federazione,  
we urge you to observe the following rules:

1. The withdrawals of the goods belonging to I.C.E. should  
be effected only against a Consignee Receiving Report (see enclosure),  
duly signed by the Administration of the Agency who takes care of the  
collection. Therefore, no delivery of goods should be made without  
said release paper.
2. As it was clarified, the Transfer Note represents an in-  
wards warehouse document and for this has no value in connection with  
the debit and credit transactions between I.C.C. and the Italian Govern-  
ment.
3. It is pointed out that, as from last August 1945, I.C.E.  
has to pay the prescribed Custom house duty on all imports belonging  
to them. Therefore, the Consignee Receiving Report, besides its proper  
value, is also as a paper for exemption of duty, for the goods import-  
ed or in any way utilised by the Allies are free from any duty.

We are sending you, under separate cover, N° 200 copies  
of the Form C., of which we want 4 copies for each collected **7368**

A kind assurance of yours will be appreciated.

NAPLES I.C.T. OFFICE

Sigl / Andrea Luciani

TO : FEDERAZIONE ITALIANA DEI CONSORZI  
ASPAI

With reference to explanations just got from A.G., Finance S/C, regarding the application of the instructions laid down in their executive Memorandum No. 2 of 28 February 1945 and in the Circular Letter L/11657/T/4 of 27th March 1945, concerning the collections of goods on I.C.E. charge from the warehouses managed by the Federazione, we beg you to observe the following rules:

1. The withdrawals of the goods belonging to I.C.E. should be effected only against a Consignee Receiving Report (see enclosure), duly signed by the Administration of the Agency who takes care of the collection. Therefore, no delivery of goods should be made without said release paper.
2. As it was clarified, the Transfer Note represents an Italian warehouse document and for this has no value in connection with the debit and credit transactions between A.G. and the Italian Government.
3. It is pointed out that, as from 1st August 1945, I.C.E. has to pay the prescribed Custom house duty on all imports belonging to them. Therefore, the Consignee Receiving Report, besides its proper value, is also as a paper for exemption of duty, for the goods imported or in any way utilised by the Allies are free from any duty.

We are sending you, under separate cover, № 200 copies of the Form C., of which we want 7 copies for each collected 7808

A kind assurance of yours will be appreciated.

MAPES I.C.E. OFFICE

Sgt/ Andrea Luciano

TO : FEDERAZIONE ITALIANA DEI CONSORZI  
CARTA =  
Warehouses Management.  
NAPLES

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TRANSLATION

FEDERATION ITALIANA  
DST CONSIGNI AGENT,  
Warehouses Management  
NAME

Naples, First August 1945.

To : I.C. S.  
Palazzo Madiaioni  
NAME

SUBJECT : ICB GOODS DELIVERY TO ALLIED AGENTS.

We have received your esteemed favour of 27th Inst., no 3776/  
1/1/a, which contents we have noted.

In any way we advise you that :

1°) For shipments by rail or by sea it will not be possible for us to obtain any signature on the Consignee Receiving Report, because the shipments are made against orders received by post and, sometimes by phone from the Allied Offices interested, which very often reside in Rome and at the loading operation of the goods no Allied member assists, to whom we may ask for the Consignee Receiving Report signature, as soon as the loading is performed.

2°) For shipments by trucks the signature of the O.R.R. is theoretically possible. However, the collections are very often being made without the assistance of any consignee Allied office representative, so that, if the O.R.R. is to be signed, we shall have to be satisfied with the driver's signature, which very often is a negro, or with the escort's signature, when there is,

Besides, our experience induces us to foresee that in most cases both the legal representatives, if there will be, and the drivers, as well as the escorts, when the vehicle has been loaded, will refuse to sign, nor it will be possible for us to prevent the truck **to run away**.

In any way we will not fail to try. On this purpose we have instructed our keepstchers not to deliver the tickets escorting the issuing goods belonging to you, shipped by vehicles, from our warehouses, on behalf of Allied Offices, if they have not previously obtained the signature of the Consignee Receiving Report (see enclosure).

U.P.C. - DIRETTORE  
R. DRAZZETTA

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S U B J E C T : I C C W O O D S D E L I V E R I E S T O A L L I E D O F F I C I E S .

We have received your esteemed favor of 27th instant, no 3776/  
1/1/a, which contents we have noted.

In any way we advise you that :

- 1°) For shipments by rail or by sea it will not be possible for us to obtain any signature on the Consignee Receiving Report, because the shipments are made against orders received by post and, sometimes, by phone from the Allied Offices interested, which very often reside in towns and at the loading operation of the goods no Allied member assists, to whom we may ask for the Consignee Receiving Report signature, as soon as the loading is performed.
- 2°) For shipments by trucks the signature of the C.R.R. is theoretically possible. However, the collections are very often being made without the assistance of any consignee Allied office representative, so that, if the C.R.R. is to be signed, we shall have to be satisfied with the driver's signature, which very often is a negro, or with the escort's signature, when there is.

Besides, our experience induces us to foresee that in most cases both the legal representatives, if there will be, and the drivers, as well as the escorts, when the vehicle has been loaded, will refuse to sign, nor it will be possible for us to prevent the truck departure.

In any way we will not fail to try. On this purpose we have instructed our despatchers not to deliver the tickets escorting the shipping goods belonging to you, shipped by vehicles, from our warehouses, on behalf of Allied Offices, if they have not previously obtained the signature of the Consignee Receiving Report (see enclosure).

Enclosed  
Original  
Copy  
(A.O.U.)  
S. S. CONSEGNA  
IL DIRETTORE

Sigd/ Dott. Mario Bagaglio.

1 Enclosure.

TRANSLATION

ISTITUTO NAZIONALE  
PER IL COMMERCIO ESTERNO  
UFFICIO DI NAPOLI.

Napoli, 18 September 1945  
(Palazzo Maddaloni)  
Tel. 52726.

Ref. 4457-1/1/2

TO : FEDERAZIONE ITALIANA  
DEI CONSIGLI AGRARI  
Warehouses Management  
NAPOLI

SUBJECT : CONSIGNE RECEIVING REPORTS.

We refer to your esteemed favor of 31 August 1945, in reply to ours No 3776 of 27 of said month, to inform you that our Head Office, to which we submitted the difficulties anticipated by you, has confirmed that the collections of goods belonging to I.C.S., made by AG/AMS or by Allied Military Agencies, can be effected only against the release of the Consignee Receiving Report.

We beg you, therefore, not to make any issue of goods if the allied Unit effecting the collection will not release you, when withdrawing the goods, a Consignee Receiving Report, Form C.

We await a kind assurance from you.

MAPLES I.C.E. OFFICE  
Sgt/ Andres Inciano.

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Federazione Italiana dei Consorzi Agrari  
UFFICIO INTERREGIONALE DI NAPOLI  
GESTIONE DEPOSITI

Naples, 19 September 1945.

RE : ISTITUTO NAZIONALE PER IL  
COLLEZIONATO ESTERICO ( U.S.A. )  
NAPLES

SUBJECT : CONSEGNA ISCRIZIONE REPUBBLICA.

We are answering to your addressed favour, ref. no. 4467/  
1/1/a.

Your kind private confirmation doesn't remove, unfortunately,  
actually, the difficulties anticipated by us, as per our letter of  
21 August 1945.

We deem that your instructions could be practically  
carried out only on condition that the Allied Authorities live  
strictly up to this commitment. Their offices deal solely with  
the collection of bonds, writing up a letter to be shown to all  
concerned, in which, by combining the agreements come to between  
you and the A.R.P., authorizing us to conclude the delivery of bonds in  
order that the persons charged with the collection are unable or  
refuse to sign the consignment receiving report.

In this connection we are going to send to Mr. Klein  
copy of the correspondence concerning this matter, ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> 130  
kindly give us exact instructions on this subject.

Sgt. Datt. Mario Saccoccia.

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SENIOR TRANSPORTATION OFFICER  
TRANSPORTATION SUB COMMISSION  
HEADQUARTERS  
AMG NAPLES COMMISSION  
APO 394

2 October, 1945

SUBJECT: Procedure re: Imported Vehicles and Spares

TO : Finance Sub-Commission  
Attn: Col. Paul D. Banning  
Chief Accountant

1. Reference your 13647/P/A dated 27 Sept enclosing letters dated 6 Sept and 17 Sept from ICE.

2. Procedure for handling imported vehicles and spares in Naples Port has been for ICE to issue receiving reports to Allied Commission based on their tallies at ship-side the same as for any other imported supplies for their account. Vehicles are then processed for port clearance and, in absence of other facilities, are moved to a military transit Park in Aversa not under control of Allied Commission. When delivery is later made to HQ Allied Commission, Transportation S/C, upon their release authorization, copies of their receipt are given to ICE, Naples, for accounting purposes.

3. Our position has been that this receipt by HQ Allied Commission to ICE, Naples should suffice to discharge their responsibility and, if not, that a formal receiving report should be issued through their offices in Rome as this office does not have possession of the vehicles at any time and functions only in a liaison capacity between parties concerned.

4. Please advise if, under the circumstances, you desire us to alter our procedure.

For the Commissioner:

*T. E. Ramsey, Capt., USMC*

T. E. RAMSEY  
Captain, Spec-Nes  
Port Liaison Officer

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In S/C, P & W Div., Maj. Klein ✓  
In S/C, Road Div., Capt. Peterson  
ICE, Naples  
ICE, Rome  
Adj. File  
PLC File

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HEADQUARTERS AIRFIELD COMMISSION  
APO 394  
ECONOMIC SECTION  
Requisition Branch

RCC/OMSOL

Ref. EC-400-222

20 September 1945

SUBJ: Notification Note 424.

TO : Instituto Nacional de Comercio Exterior

1. Reference is made to Notification Note No. 424, dtd 15 September 1945.

2. Since this note is a duplication of the item listed on Notification Note No. 314, dated 9 August, it is directed that Notification Note No. 424 be considered as cancelled.

H. C. CHANDLER  
Lt. Col., USA  
Economic Section

cc: Finance S/C, Accounting Div.  
Transportation S/C, Port & Whaling Div.  
Industry S/C, Mining Div.

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RE. LIGURIA REGION FOR ALGOIN DEPOT GENOVA FOR MAJOR BOOM

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3 September 1945

PRIORITY

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SUBJ OF IS ALLIED MEDICAL SUPPLIES PD

PAREN TO FOR ACTION RE LIGURIA REGION FOR ALGOIN DEPOT GENOVA FOR MAJOR BOOM  
FROM ALGOIN CIVIL ADMIN PAREN

ITEM CHARLIE EASY DESIGNATED FILIPPO GABELLI AS REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE RECEIPT  
AT GENOA OF ALLIED MEDICAL SUPPLIES BARBERSO FOR ITALY ORA YOUR CABLE  
DATED ONE SEPTEMBER FORTY FIVE

CCOPY TO: - Transportation S/G, Attn: Warehouse & Invdg Div. } By hand  
" " I. C. E., Via Torino 127, Rome }

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PUBLIC HEALTH SUBCOMMISSION

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G. M. TREASURY

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
APO 394  
TRANSPORTATION SUB-COMMISSION  
Ports and Warehouse Division

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Tel. 478700

4 September 1945

Ref. 3/4/1485/FnG

SUBJECT : Operation of ICE Office, Venice  
Your letter No. 22211, Uff. Re/Imp, 31 August 1945  
TO : Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero - Rome  
Attention: Sig. Bordoni

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your above mentioned letter, and we are advising Capt. Bowes that there will be no change whatsoever in the arrangements for receipt of imported civilian supplies as concerns the responsibilities of Federazione Italiana dei Consorzi Agrari and ICE.

2. However, it is called to your attention as forcefully as possible in this letter that it serves no useful purpose for you or your agents in the field to advise anyone that arrangements are in the course of discussion for ICK to handle the receipt of all imports. Until such arrangements have been made and approved by all concerned, and until your organization has in the field representatives in sufficient quantity and quality to perform the functions, any tentative advice is only confusing and adds to the difficulties of the job not being done.

3. The correspondence initiated by Capt. Bowes, apparently upon statements made by your Mr. Villieri, might have been avoided had he arrived with proper instructions and had he not attempted to overstep his authority with Capt. Bowes.

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For the Director:

Copy to:  
ALCOM Port Liaison Officer  
(Attention: Capt. Bowes)

ROBERT H. ELGIN  
Major Med. Adm. C.  
Ports & Ware. Div.

Translation of letter, dated 11 Aug. 1945, addressed by Istituto Nazionale per il Commercio Estero, Rome, to P.orts & Wms Division.

1. Capt. J.N. Power, Port Officer, Tn. ANG Reg.XII, sent to you letter PM4 of 22 inst. of which we attach copy.
2. Please inform Capt. Power that our Mr. Villari has arrived at Venice on 1st. inst. to organise and manage our Venice Office in connection with the work entrusted to the I.C.E. for taking delivery of and accounting for the goods supplied by the Allied Governments to the Italian Government and arriving in that port.
3. Our Mr. Villari, who, up to the above date was managing our Ancona Office is therefore acquainted with all regulations issued by ACHQ and ICE relative to such work.
4. Our Mr. Villari well knows that at present the ICE takes delivery both of the miscellaneous supplies as per Memorandum N°2 and of the medical supplies as per instructions of the Public Health S/C and of the ICE.
5. There are now in course of discussion the agreements which aim to regulate the taking of delivery by one single methods through the ICE of foodstuffs and products destined to agriculture and supplied by the Allied Governments to the Italian Government.

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**ISTITUTO NAZIONALE  
PER IL COMMERCIO ESTERO**

**22211** Uff.Re/Imp.

N.  
DA CITARE NELLA RISPOSTA

ROMA, 31 AGOSTO 1945

VIA TORINO, 107 - CASELLA POSTALE 1002

OGGETTO:- Ufficio ICE di Venezia -

Sede in ROMA - VIA TORINO, 107 - TELEFONO: 42-081 - 42-089 - 42-080 - 44-705 - 44-704 - 437-700 - 465-688  
DIRETTORE: MARCONI - A. B. C. 671 ED. - A. B. C. 671 ED. - HENTLEY  
DIRETTORE TELEFONICO: INFACCE

1. Il Capt. J. N. Bowes - Port Officer - Tn. AMG. Reg XII. Vi ha mandato la lettera PW4 del 22 c.m. di cui uniamo copia.
2. Vi preghiamo di voler informare il Capt. Bowes che il ns/ Sig. Villari è giunto a Venezia il 1° c.m. per organizzare e dirigere il ns/ Ufficio di Venezia in relazione ai compiti affidati all'ICE per la presa in consegna e contabilizzazione delle merci che arrivano in quel porto fornite dai Governi Alleati al Governo Italiano.
3. Il ns/ Sig. Villari che, fino alla data sopra indicata, ha diretto il ns/ Ufficio di Ancona è quindi in grado di conoscere tutte le disposizioni emanate dal H.Q.A.C. e dell'ICE relative al citato compito.
4. Il ns/ Sig. Villari conosce in particolare che attualmente l'ICE prende in consegna sia le "miscellaneous supplies" di cui al Memorandum N°2 che le "medical supplies" di cui alle istruzioni della Public Health S/C e dell'ICE.
5. Sono in corso di definizione le intese dirette a regolare la presa in consegna in modo unico attraverso l'ICE dei generi alimentari e dei prodotti destinati all'agricoltura forniti dai Governi Alleati al Governo Italiano.

ALLEGATO 1

Il Capo della Sezione Commerciale

*Bordone*

To:  
HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION  
Transportation S/C  
P. & W. Division  
R O M E

Ufficio dell'ICE  
Dr. Ermanno VILLARI  
Albergo Terminus  
V E N E Z I A

Bor/na

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C O P Y

VENEZIA PROVINCE  
VENEZIA REGION  
ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT  
APO 394

22 August 1945

Ref. # - PW 4

Subject : - I.C.E.

To: P. & W. Division  
U.G. Allied Commission  
A.P.O. 394

1.- Signor Villari of the a/m organization arrived here on 1st Aug., but with no orders.

2.- He said that the I.C.E. Organization was to check all commodities except coal and P.O.L.

3.- However no instructions have been received in Venice as regard a change, and no I.C.E. organization is set up.

4.- May information be made known, if there has been a change in I.C.E. responsibilities.

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J.N. Howes Capt.  
Port Officer  
U.S. AMG, REG. XII

Copy to - Alcom No. 12

" " P.C.A. Venice

" " I.C.E. Venice

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