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9. February 1946

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Doctor Alcide De Gasperi
President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome

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8 February 1946

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TO : Supreme Allied Commander
Allied Force Headquarters
(Attn: Asst. Chief of Staff - G-5)

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

Ref: E-1

2 January 1946

SUBJECT: Electric Power in FOGGIA Area

To: Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394

1. Reference attached letter from Headquarters 529th Air Service Group American Area Town Major DSI/jac of 12 December, with accompanying endorsements from Headquarters 529th Air Service Group, Headquarters 2nd Bombardment Group (Hv) and Headquarters NAFGD.

2. The above is forwarded to you for whatever action you may deem suitable and for comment to this Headquarters. LRS/215L/9 of 24 November and LRS/215B/296 of 15 December refer.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. HAMBLEN,
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

Encl: as above

Copy to: American Area Town Major,
Headquarters 529th Air Service Group, APO 534)

Headquarters 2nd Bombardment Group (Hv), APO 534

Headquarters, NAFGD, APO 528

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21 DEC 1945

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ROUTINE

AFHQ

REAR XIII CORPS INFO: 55 AREA ALCOM DISTWO.

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1. CE XIII corps has been aware of and can advise you the extent of rationing required. Our signals C42654 dated 1 December your signal CE WKS/148 dated 6 December and your letters WKS/3101 dated 5 December and 7 December all refer.
2. Duration of rationing conditioned primarily by rate of snow melting in southern Alps and secondarily by availability of coal and coke for gas production. March/April 46 is estimate.
3. 30% cut on overall consumption satisfactory.
4. Rationing instituted because shortage of alternative fuel caused comsumers to change over to electricity thus overloading system in north Italy.
5. Breakdown on 1 December is regretted and was made by Alcom in conjuction with distwo without knowledge of this HQ. This was explained to your CE and such action should not occur in the future.
6. There is not central electricity board. Until 30 November 45 there was an electric power committee which was responsible to the AFLRS board. This committee controlled power in central and southern Italy but was not responsible for electric power in the area north of the Appenines. Nothern Italy still subject to Military control and responsibility for control of electric power is vested in CSE XIII Corps and distwo. Electric power however must be dealt with on national basis and cannot be dealt with on a parochial basis. Only Alcom have national picture therefore essential your CE effects close liaison with Alcom.
7. Italian Government have now taken over from military responsibility for control and allocation of electric power in central and southern Italy subject to military needs having priority. Understood through Alcom that Italian Government have set up a central electricity commission to control power in central and southern Italy.

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Appropriate military agencies will be represented on this commission. When North Italy is handed back to Italian Government control this Commission will presumably extend its jurisdiction to cover those areas of North Italy handed back to the Italian Government. Our representatives on this committee will then ask for your HQ and HQ distwo to be invited to be represented on this Commission.

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21 DEC 1945
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Incoming Message

Headquarters Allied Commission

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Message Centre No: 6213

Date/Time of Origin: 241859A

Date Time Rec'd: Dec. 25 1000

From: AFHQ RE GHQ

Precedence: Immediate

To: ALCOM Elect Div. PW & US/C

UNCLASSIFIED:

CONTROL OF ELECTRIC POWER IN ITALY IS SUBJECT. THIS CONFIRMS TELEPHONED MESSAGE FOR COL. PARKER THIS MORNING.

1. HOW DO ITALIAN GOVERNMENT PROPROSE TO CONTROL ELECTRICITY IN NORTH ITALY WHEN THIS REVERTS TO THEIR CONTROL IN IMMEDIATE FUTURE.

2. WILL THEY EXTEND FUNCTION OF CENTRAL COMMISSION AND APPOINT LOCAL COMMISSIONS AS IN CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN ZONES. IF SO WHERE WILL THEY BE SITUATED PARTICULARLY THE COMMISSION THAT WOULD CONTROL PART 13 CORPS AREA LESS UDINE AND VENEZIA GUILIA WHICH UNDERSTOOD WILL NOT BE HANDED BACK YET.

3. ASSURANCE IS REQUESTED THAT NO MAIN FEEDER CUTS WILL BE MADE AFFECTING 13 CORPS AREA WITHOUT DUR AND TIMELY WARNING TO 13 CORPS REAR AND THIS HQ.

4. HOW LONG IS THIS RATIONING GOING TO BE NECESSARY IN NORTH ITALY.

5. INVITATIONS NOT YET RECEIVED TO ATTEND CENTRAL COMMISSION MEETING IN ROME 29 BY DW OR CE 3 DIST BUT REPS WILL ATTEND. UNDERSTOOD AT LAST MEETING YOU WOULD ADVISE ALL CONCERNED.

6.CE 2 DIST AND CE 13 CORPS REPS ARE REQUIRED ON CENTRAL COMMISSION WHEN ITALIAN GOVERNMENT TAKE OVER IN THEIR AREAS. 574 7.

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IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ANSWER MAY ABOVE POINTS BE PUT ON AGENDA FOR THE MEETING PLEASE. 8. INFORMATION REQUIRED MOST URGENTLY IN ORDER THAT 13 CORPS COMDT CAN BE ADVISED SITUATION.

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24 Dec. 1945

SUBJECT: Rationing of Electric Power Consumption

TO : All Prefects in Northern Italy

With the returning of that Province to the Italian Administration, it will be in force, among the others, the Royal Legislative Decree April 3 1944 - no. 95 published in the Gazzetta Officiale of April 5 1944, containing the instructions for the limitation of electric power consumption.

Disregarding the amount of curtailments considered in that decree, which were and are subjected to variations, according to local and temporary necessities, it is necessary that the decree be enforced as far as Article no. 6 is concerned, that is the appointment of Provincial Commissions.

With regard to that Article I am now pointing out that, according to instructions now being issued, in the place of the official of Consiglio Provinciale dell'Economia, two other officials, one of the local Chamber of Commerce and the other from the Ispettorato del Lavoro, will be appointed members of the Commission.

Coopted members, having specific knowledge in some technical branches, may be invited to join the Commission when required by the importance of the matter to be discussed, but in this case it would be advisable to inform the Central Commission, at the Ministry of Public Works. The Central Commission may also, when it will be necessary, appoint its own representative to attend to the meetings of any Provincial Commission.

The Commissions of Genova, Turin, Milan and Venice may also, from time to time, be requested by the Central Commission, to operate as Regional Commissions, for the coordination of the Provincial Commissions work.

Since it is now necessary that, at the end of this month, all the instructions for the electric power rationing agreed by those interested together with the responsible Italian Authorities and issued by A.M.G with separate decrees for Liguria, Piemonte, Lombardia and Veneto be confirmed, this will be done by that Prefettura in the area in which it is responsible, with the only difference that the supervision and control attributed, by that decree, to the Economic Commission of A.M.G. are now handed over to the Central Commission at this Ministry.

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I beg to draw the attention of that Prefetture on the importance of quickly confirming the Allied instructions concerning the rationing of electric power in order to avoid any discontinuity in the handing over of this matter by A.M.G. to us. Will you also please inform this Ministry on the measures taken, possibly specifying the names of the officials appointed members of the Provincial Commission.

signed by the

Minister of Public Works

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ROUTINE

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INFO ALCOM ROME

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Reference my 661 dated 23. Rationing scheme WEF 26 November now amended as follows. Period of cut off for 50 per cent of consumers will be 0730 to 1100 and 1230 to 1630 on Mondays Tuesdays Wednesdays. Remaining 50 per cent consumers same HRS Thursdays Fridays Saturdays. Power for steam production by civilians is prohibited. Civilian appeals against rationing will be dealt with by ISPETTORATO DEL LAVORO. All informed.

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PRIORITY

AFHQ FROM RE GRQHCMF
CE 2 DIST. "Q" 2 DIST , INFO: ALCOM ELECTRICAL DIVISION

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Conservation of electric power is subject. Coordinated with "Q" maint GHQ and G 5 GHQ. If a shortage of electric power exists in any part of 2 district or if feeders are se= rously overloaded and the resulting situation compromises the proper working of military installations the C.E. will immediately introduce a scheme of cationing PN the area or areas concerned. Vide para 4 AG675/047 (Q maint) o dated 17 July 45. Close liaison with alcom REP in area should be maintained. Due consideration will be given to legitimate civilian industrial demands but feeder cutw will be made when and where necessary. Reports will be submitted to engineer branch GHQ covering any such action taken copy.XMXMXXXXMMXXXXXXX

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CONTROLLING SERVICES (ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND)

REQUEST FOR ALLOCATION OF ELECTRIC POWER FOR THE MONTH OF JAN 46.

AREA	Allocation for previous month		Allocation now required		NOTES
	DAY	NIGHT	DAY	NIGHT	
	KWS 10^3	KWS 10^3	KWS 10^3	KWS 10^3	
ROME AREA	80	45	80	45	No change.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-5 Section
APO 512

15 February 1946

G-5: Elec. Supp NW Italy

SUBJECT: Electric Power in N Italy

TO : Headquarters, Allied Commission,
APO 394

Acknowledgment is made of your PWU/214 dated 8 February, and enclosed correspondence which passed between your Headquarters and the Italian Government.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

F. G. A. PARSONS
Brigadier,
Acting Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5

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J-U s/c

Ref. PWU/214

5 February 1946

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/s/ Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Doctor Alcide De Gasperi
President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome

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Ref. PWU/214

February 1946

SUBJECT: Electric Power in North Italy

TO : Supreme Allied Commander
Allied Force Headquarters
(Attn: Asst. Chief of Staff - G-5)

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1. The following information is submitted with regard to action taken by the Allied Commission and the Italian Government in order to exercise control over the electric power situation in North Italy where a shortage of electricity exists.

2. A letter was directed to the Prime Minister on 28 December 1945, copy enclosed, calling his attention to the seriousness of the power situation in North Italy and recommending:

(a) the continuation of existing A.M.G. power rationing and control orders, and

(b) the establishment of a Regional Commission in North Italy for the control of electric power.

3. On 5 January 1946 the Prime Minister replied to the above letter, copy enclosed, stating that certain action had been taken by the Government and that plans were being made to establish a Regional Commission in Milan in accordance with Allied Commission's recommendations.

4. On 17 January 1946 a meeting of the Advisory Committee for Electric Power for North Italy was held in Milan, at which were present, in addition to regular Italian members, the representatives of XIII Corps, 2 District, Director of Works, GHQ, and Headquarters, Allied Commission. It was still evident that it was necessary, in order for the Italian Government to exercise proper control of electricity in North Italy and to coordinate the operation of the electric companies, that a Regional Authority be established for this purpose. This matter was further emphasized by conversations between Allied Commission and the Ministry of Public Works.

5. On 25 January 1946 the Council of Ministers passed a decree authorizing the appointment of a temporary Commissioner, under the Ministry of Public Works, for the control of electric power in North Italy as stated in the Prime Minister's letter of 29 January, copy of which is enclosed.

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6. On 30 January, a well-known electrical engineer in Milan, Prof. Ercole Bottani, was appointed as the Commissioner and is presently coordinating the enforcement of electric power control measures with representatives of the electric companies and the law enforcing agents of North Italy and at the same time is forming a Committee of Advisors. Prof. Bottani has worked informally with representatives of the electric companies in connection with the rationing and control requirements of electric power in North Italy in the past, and some of the members of his Committee will have had considerable experience in this matter already. Consequently, they are qualified to deal with the problems as they exist today.

7. Representatives of Headquarters, Allied Commission, are meeting with the new Commissioner and his Committee in Milan this week, in order to offer all advice and assistance possible.

8. Acknowledgment of the Italian Government's efforts in dealing with this matter has been forwarded to the Prime Minister today, copy attached.

9. The previous arrangement for the control of electric power was provided through individual Provincial Commissions without any central coordinating authority except Rome. It is believed that the establishment of the Regional Commissioner in Milan will greatly facilitate in coordinating the activities of the Provincial Commissions and will serve as the necessary agent in coordinating the operations of the various electric companies for a more equitable distribution of available electricity.

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

4 Enclosures -
1 - PWU/214 of 28 December 1945
2 - Prime Minister's letter of 5 January 1946
3 - Prime Minister's letter of 29 January 1946
4 - PWU/214 of February 1946

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C O P Y

Translation

The President of the Council of Ministers
56584/13777/7.14

Rome, 5 January 1946

Dear Admiral,

I refer to your letter n. P.W.U./214, dated December 28th, on the action to be taken for the maintaining of the regulations on the distribution of electric power in force in Northern Italy.

Regarding such a matter, the Minister for Public Works:

1) issued orders some time ago for the publication and enforcement in Emilia of the regional ordinance of A.M.G. for the control and rationing of electric power;

2) took action for the immediate formation in Northern Italy of regional and provincial commissions for the control of the consumption of electric power, and also in relation with previous agreements made with the Electricity Division of the A.C.

3) confirmed telegraphically to the Prefects of Northern Italy the order for the maintaining on force of the A.M.G. ordinance on such a matter, after the handing over of the said territory to the Italian Government.

Yours sincerely,

s. De. Gasperi

Admiral Ellery W. Stone
Chief of the Allied Commission
Rome

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Translation

The President of the Council of Ministers
59106/13777/7.1.4

Rome, 29 January 1946

My dear Admiral,

I refer to my letter of the 5th inst., n. 56584/13777/7.1.4 and confirm to you in the name of the Government and in my own that action has been taken in relation with the regulations for the distribution of electric power in the provinces of Northern Italy, and also for the carrying out of such regulations as have been issued by A.M.G. on such a matter, also after the return of the said provinces to the Italian administration.

On this matter, I may assure you that in a telegram dated January 10th, the Minister of the Interior informed the Prefects of all the Northern Provinces that it was necessary strictly to follow a discipline tending to limit the consumption of electric power. Another cable dated January 24th was sent by the same Minister to the Prefects of Piedmont and Liguria, to point out that the strict and speedy enforcement of the above-mentioned regulations was necessary, to prevent the situation from getting worse, for this would greatly prejudice the industrial production and have unfortunate repercussions on the employment of the working masses.

I also inform you that at the meeting of the Council of Ministers of the 25th inst., considering the necessity to assure the strictest discipline in employing electric power and limiting its consumption, in the Northern provinces, the appointment of a temporary Commissioner with considerable inspection and control powers and whose regulations are liable to disclaimer at the Public Works Ministry, has been approved. The said regulation is being completed.

I remain, my dear Admiral,

Sincerely yours,

s. De Gasperi

Admiral Ellery W. Stone
Chief Commissioner
Allied Commission
Rome

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Ref. PWU/214

February 1946

My dear Mr. Prime Minister:

With reference to your letters of 5 January 56564/13777/7.1.4 and 29 January 59106/13777/7.1.4, I want to take this opportunity to express my hearty accord with the aggressive steps taken by the Italian Government in order to meet the very difficult situation which has developed in North Italy with respect to electric power.

The successful handling of this matter will reflect great credit upon the Italian Government and avert far-reaching adverse economic repercussions which would result from a lack of power for industrial and other essential civilian services.

The staff of Allied Commission will continue to advise and give all assistance possible in connection with this matter.

Again please accept my personal appreciation for the energetic manner with which this problem has been approached, especially in the case of your appointment of the Commissioner for control of electric power in North Italy.

Very truly yours,

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C O P Y

Ref. PWU/214

28 December 1945

My dear Mr. Prime Minister:

Due to the abnormal heavy load demands for electric power in North Italy it has become necessary to publish and place into effect Allied Military Government curtailment and rationing measures, in territory under A.M.G. Control. In order that power conservation measures be uniform throughout North Italy, on 17 December 1945, a copy of the Allied Military Government Regional Orders for rationing and control of electric power was furnished the Minister of Public Works, for publishing and placing into effect as a Ministerial Decree in Emilia Region.

In view of the early termination of Allied Military Government control of certain territory in North Italy, and in order that A.M.G. electric power control orders established as emergency measures remain in effect, I recommend that your Government be prepared to put into operation immediately a Ministerial Decree incorporating the general provisions of the existing A.M.G. Orders upon assumption of control of the above territory.

It is further recommended that an electric power Regional Commission similar to the one in Naples, Rome and Florence be established in Milan for coordinating the activities of the Provincial Commissions for distribution and utilization of electric power and to facilitate the operation of the Central Commission established in Rome in accordance with authority contained in Decree No. 95 dated 3 April 1944.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission

214/PWU

31 January 1946

SUBJECT: Electric Power in North Italy

TO : Acting Vice President
Economic Section, Allied Commission

1. In accordance with conversation with you today the following is a report of the electric power situation in North Italy.

2. Upon Col. Parker's return from North Italy on 22 January he reviewed the seriousness of the electric power situation with Engineer Visentini, Inspector General for Electricity, Water, and Gas, Ministry of Public Works (Minister Cattani was not in Rome at the time) emphasizing the fact that there was a general lack of compliance with rationing and electric power control orders, especially in Genoa and Turin, and further that it was necessary for the government to establish the recommended Regional Control in Milan for North Italy in order to deal with the power shortage.

3. On 25 January 1946 the Council of Ministers approved and passed a decree authorizing the appointment of a Commissioner for Electric Power in North Italy. Prof. Botani, a well known electrical engineer in Milan has been appointed as the Commissioner and is now forming his Commission which is expected to be completed by 2 February 1946.

4. The Milan Commissioner will be in a position of authority to coordinate uniform compliance, through the Prefects, with existing electric power control measures, modify them where necessary, and direct exchange of power between electric companies so as to effect equitable distribution of available electricity.

5. Since 31 December 1945 when the territory in the North was turned back to the Italian Government control the application and enforcement of electric power rationing and control measures has been a responsibility of the Prefects and Provincial Commissions operating on instructions from the Central Commission in Rome which is too remote from the situation to deal effectively with problems arising from the power shortage in North Italy.

6. Engineer Visentini of Ministry of Public Works reports that the compliance with power rationing in Genoa and Turin has improved 85% since Minister Cattani's telegrams on 17 January to the two Prefects directing strict application of rationing orders.

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7. Major Haban, Industry and Utilities S/C, Milan office, reported by telephone today that he had a meeting with Prof. Botani and representatives of electric companies this morning for the purpose of informing the Commissioner of the power situation and to assist him. Major Haban further reports that in general the reduction in power consumption is only about 12% referred to November 1945, wherein the rationing measures were based on a 25 to 30% reduction.

8. It is expected that with the establishment of the Commission in Milan that the control and distribution of electric power in North Italy will become more efficient. Col. Parker, Chief of Electrical Division, is returning to Milan to be present at the Commission's first meeting which is scheduled for Monday, 4 February. Engineer Visentini of the Ministry of Public Works will also be in Milan at this time.

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Director
Industry and Utilities S/C

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WHY THERE IS A POWER SHORTAGE

Central Italy depends almost entirely on Hydro Electric plants for its Power supplies and rains and melting snows are the sources of the water on which these plants depend.

The effect of the prolonged drought on the production of electric power is very apparent from the records maintained by the Hydrographic Department of the Italian Government. The rainfall is measured in millimeters and the amount of electric power produced is in almost direct proportion to the amount of rainfall.

For Central Italy the results are as follows:

Total Rainfall in millimeters	Average 1921-1940	Total 1944	Total 1945
Perugia Area	908	991.1	524.9
Contigliano Area	1464.8	1111.0	694.0
Collidi Mi Monte Bore Area	922.9	809.8	561.9
Rome Area	834.5	477.8	361.6
Total	4120.2	3389.7	2142.4

Considered as a whole, the 1945 rainfall has only been 52% of the average rainfall between 1921 and 1940 and only 63% of the 1944 rainfall.

The above situation together with the fact that about 55% of the generating capacity of Central Italy, which was damaged and destroyed has yet to be put back into operation explains why there is a power shortage in this area.

Drought conditions exsist over all of Italy and extend to other countries of the Mediterranean basin. Spain and France report acute power shortages due to drought conditions.

"LETS PRAY FOR RAIN"

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MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS

Central Commission for the Rationing of Electric Power

MINUTES

Meeting held on December 20, 1945, at 0930 hours.

Present:

Prof. Eng. M. Visentini	- Chairman
Dr. F. Fasciani	- Member
Dr. M. Valentini	- Member
Dr. Eng. Dell' Agli	- Representing Dr. Eng. Pavia-member
Dr. Eng. C. Silva	- Member

For attendance:

Col. C. F. Parker of A.C.M.Q. and the Allied officers representing Rome and Naples Districts.

Mr. Meroni (State Railways)
Eng. Asta
Eng. Rota
Eng. Corbino
Dr. Lupo

1. Statement by the Chairman

Prof. Eng. Visentini reported that, following an agreement between the Allied Command and the Italian Government, the functions of allocating the electric power available to the various areas had been handed over to the Central Commission, as of January 1, 1946.

Three Provincial Commissions (Rome, Naples, Florence) have been appointed in order to advise on the power allocation in those three regions and held meetings during the period 20-25 December 1945.

An allocation sheet was then set up by the Central Commission according to the informations and recommendations received from the Provincial Commission.

2. To discuss the electric power allocations for Central and Southern Italy for the month of January 1946.

(see attached allocation sheets)

Mr. Meroni (State Railways) reported that the Rome-Orte railroad section should be operated from January 15; this is an important service requiring 3,000 additional KW's for the State Railways allocation.

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Col. Parker and the Representative of 3 District called the attention of the Comittee on the electric power situation in Southern Italy and on the fact that the power supply from Terni to S.M.E. coincides with the reactivation of Crotone and Pertusola plants.

The Representatives of DK-AIG and 3 District protested against the allocation made to Pertusola and Crotone plants, stating that this will render it necessary large disconnection of feeders in Southern Italy; those disconnections could not be tolerated by the military establishments which already are subjected to interruptions affecting their efficiency.

Col. Parker requested that the power supply to Crotone be subordinated to disconnections of other industrial customers for an equal amount of power.

Prof. Visentini explained that the Southern Italy situation had already been discussed, during the last few days, with Eng. Mastrogo of S.M.E.; the suggested allocation sheet had been set up following those discussions. However, he stated that the matter of supplying Crotone would again be taken up in the afternoon together with Eng. Mastrogo keeping in mind the recommendations of the Allied representatives.

The Comittee then agreed some minor changes to the power allocations in connection with Abbeme and UNRRA area.

The Chairman suggested to postpone the discussion of N-3 and N-4 of the Agenda to the meeting to be held on February 7, 1946.

3. Any other business

The Chairman points out that at the next meeting, to be held at the end of January, the power allocations for February will be examined, including the Northern Italy area.

Col. Parker requested that the Representatives of 3 District and 13th Corps (Venezia Giulia) be invited to attend to the meeting.

4. Date and Time of the next meeting

The next meeting will be held at the Ministry of Public Works at 0930 hrs. on January 28, 1946.

Notes on the meeting held in the afternoon

Following decisions were taken:

1. Crotone plant will be supplied
2. Supply to Pertusola plant postponed.
3. The Ferro-Alloys plant (Ilva-Naples area) will be curtailed by 1,000 KW in order to make it possible to send 8 MW to Crotone.

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SOUTHERN ITALY ------- JANUARY 1946

AREA SERVED	RESPONSABILITY OF	Permissible 15 Minute Peak KW x 10^3	Permissible Energy kWh x 10^6
Apulia Co.	Italian P.W.	42	25
To U.N.E.S.	" "	1	0.4
Naples District	P.B.S.	44	25.5
Campania Co:			
(i) Frattamaggiore	P.B.S.	3.5	2.25
(ii) Pomigliano	Italian P.W.	2	1.3
(iii) Salerno-Torre Cast.	" "	21.5	12.15
(iv) Benevento	" "	3.25	1.6
(v) Calore	" "	1.25	0.8
(vi) S. Maria	P.B.S.	5.5	2.8
Lucania Co.	Italian P.W.	5	2.5
Railways:			
Naples area	M.R.S.	3	1.1
Foggia-Benvento	"	8	3
Salerno-Torre	"	3.5	1.5
Villa Literno	"	1.5	0.5
Total 150 KV at sub stations		145.00	80.40
Calabria 60 KV system:			
(i) Calabria Co.	Italian P.W.	8.5	2.25
(ii) Railways	M.R.S.	10	2.7
(iii) Crotone (Montecatini Works)	Italian P.W.	7	5
Total 60 KV sub stations		25.5	9.95
Total 150 KV and 60 KV		170.50	90.35

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Railways:			
Naples area	M.R.S.	3	1.1
Foggia-Benvento	"	8	3
Salerno-Torre	"	3.5	1.5
Villa Literno	"	1.5	0.5
Total 150 KV at sub stations		145.00	80.40
Calabria 60 KV system:			
(i) Calabria Co.	Italian P.W.	8.5	2.25
(ii) Railways	M.R.S.	10	2.7
(iii) Crotone (Montecatini Works)	Italian P.W.	7	5
Total 60 KV sub stations		25.5	9.95
Total 150 KV and 60 KV		170.50	90.35

Power required by Crotone Works is 8 MW. The difference betewn requirement and allottement will be snbtracted from Ilva Works Bagnoli (Ferro Alloys) Naples(P.B.S.)

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CENTRAL ITALY

January 1946

AREA SERVED BY INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY OF	0600-1700 KW x 10^3	1700-2200 KW x 10^3	2200-0600 KW x 10^3	Permissible Energy KWx10^3
DISTRICT 3.				
Own utilizations	17.5	17.5	22.5	13.2
Rural customers	5.5	5.5	5.5	3.5
Terni Carbide (10 kV)	15	15	15	10.5
Terni e Foligno	4	2.9	4	2.5
Spoleto	3	2.9	3	1.8
Umbria and Adriatic coast to North including Rieti	12	12.5	6.	5.9
Orvieto & District	1.1	1.1	1.75	0.9
Adriatic South to Pescara inclusive of Aquila	4	3.9	2.5	2.1
Frosinone	3.2	3.5	1.7	1.7
Rieti	1.5	1.4	1.25	0.5
Viterbo	1.6	1.8	1.45	1
Rome District	1.6	1.8	1.15	0.5
Civitavecchi & Littoria	7.1	8.2	3.7	4.1
Rome	84	99	51.5	44.2
Rail. (+)	13	13	13	5.3
Total	174.5	190	136.7	96.6
D.S.B.				
Piombino-Grosseto Lenderella -Siena	82.5	91.5	47.5	50
Florence -Bologna				
Pistoia-Prato				

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Orvieto & District	1.1	1.1	2.75	0.9
Adriatic South to Pescara inclusive of Aquila	4	3.9	2.5	2.1
Frosinone	3.2	3.5	1.7	1.7
Rieti	1.5	1.4	1.25	0.9
Viterbo	1.6	1.8	1.45	1
Rieti District	1.6	1.8	1.15	0.7
Civitavecchia & Littoria	7.4	8.2	7.7	4.2
Rome	84	96	51.5	44.2
FF.SS. (4)	13	13	13	5.5
Total	174.5	196	136.7	96.6

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Fiumicino-Grosseto Terracina-Sienna Fiano Romano-Leghorn Latina-Pisa to Pratica District 3. Arezzo & District	62.5	91.5	47.5	50
	257	281.5	184.2	148.8

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ECONOMIC SECTION

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11 January 1946

File 814/PWU

SUBJECT: Electric Power in Rome

TO : Executive Commissioner

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1. Ref. your 5404/SC dated 10 Dec. 45.

2. The low voltage and low frequency which Rome has been experiencing recently are the result of three conditions which have developed gradually over the past few weeks.

(a) The prolonged drought, which is the worst that Italy has experienced in the last 80 years, is causing a diminished flow of water in the streams on which the Hydro plants supplying power are situated with a consequent reduction in both energy and capacity output.

For November it was necessary to reduce the power allocations to areas in Central Italy to meet the reduction in generating capacity brought about by diminished output of stream flow electric power plants. Rome's allocation was reduced from 80,000 kw to 65,000 kw in the morning and 75,000 kw in the evening.

This was restored for the month of December to 80,000 kw for both morning and evening on the expectation that the normal rainfall conditions would be realized during that month.

The drought conditions continued up until about the middle of December. In the meantime the load on the Central Italy grid system continued to increase to the point where the generators were being overloaded causing them to operate at a lower speed with a consequent lower frequency and at a lower voltage and very much lower efficiency. Heavy loads on some local distribution circuits also further reduced the voltage to the users of power. To alleviate the situation the power companies arranged, in accordance with instructions from the Ministry of Public Works, for periodic disconnection of large areas for varying periods

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of time in order to reduce the load on the generators and thereby prevent the frequency and voltage from going any lower. The service being received by the users who had not been disconnected was, even then, far from what would be considered desirable, but it was necessary to maintain some service to many important establishments even if it was of poor quality. Actually, therefore, Rome and other areas of Central Italy were not getting their full allocations.

(b) The normal seasonal change and shorter days cause an overlap of lighting and industrial loads which result in higher system loads.

(c) The lack of heating and cooking fuels and the limited artificial gas supply has resulted in abnormal domestic usage for heating and cooking purposes.

3. In anticipation of the conditions outlined in para 2 above A.C. recommended to the Italian Government in letter 10 November 45 Ref. AB/9.09 that immediate steps be taken to set up a rationing program not only in Central Italy but Northern and Southern Italy as well. The Government authorities are working on an effective application of an electric power rationing program and have made considerable improvement since the initial phase of taking over the control of the supply and utilisation of electricity. This is just now beginning to get under way and the Electrical Division of Ind. & Util. A.C.A.C. and the Inspectorate Generale for Electricity, Water and Gas of the Ministry of Public Works are collaborating on the matter.

4. The control of electric power, which was formerly handled by A.F.L.R.(I)B, was turned over to Italian Government control in December 1945. It is appreciated that some difficulties would arise in the initial phase of turning over to the Italian authorities, who have given assurance that military and other essential requirements would be given priority and met.

5. With respect to sign lighting and public lighting, specific instructions have already been issued by the Provincial Committee for the Control of Electricity to prohibit the use of such lighting.

6. Other steps which have been taken to get the situation under control are as follows:

(a) The power companies have been directed by the 5673
Italian Government to reduce the use of power by civilians in the areas of Central Italy, outside of Metropolitan Rome, which are more or less uncontrolled.

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(b) The Ministry of Public Works has been advised to inform the public through the local newspapers, the causes of the present power situation in order to forestall and offset inaccurate rumors.

(c) The power companies, through the Italian government have been advised to reinstitute the system of priority circuits for home which were successfully used during the power shortage period after Central Italy was liberated.

7. Central Italy will be short of power for 1946 due to many generating plants not yet being restored to operation on which the area formerly depended for its power. It is expected that there will be more periods of difficulty from power shortages until such time as there is an availability sufficient to meet the demands with a margin for reserve or breakdown. Under present conditions every plant is being operated to maximum capacity - in other words, nothing is being wasted. As a result, when a machine or line fails or must be taken out of service for maintenance or repairs, an equivalent amount of load must be cut off. When a major break-down occurs the equivalent amount of load must stay off until repairs are effected.

8. It has been and will be, therefore, simply a matter of making the best use of what is available even if it is poor quality at times. The fact should not be overlooked that the enemy carried out a thorough job of demolition on all power plants in Central Italy and today less than 50% of this generating capacity has been restored to service. This, along with a drought condition, has presented problems in electric power that have never existed before in this part of Italy.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
RECORDS SECTION

214/P.TU

22 January 1946

SUBJECT: Electric Power in Foggia Area

TO : Allied Force Headquarters
G-5 Section, APO 512

1. Reference your letter 4 January 1946, File B-1, pertaining to letter from 62nd Air Service Group American Area Town Major IWL/jac of 12 December 1945.

2. On Saturday, 22 December, the transmission line between Central and Southern Italy was placed into operation and since that time 20,000 to 22,000 kw capacity and approximately 350,000 kwh a day of energy are being sent to the Foggia area in Southern Italy. This action for supply of power from Terni to South Italy is in accordance with previous decisions of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee for December 1945 allocations.

3. The electric power company serving South Italy reports that the situation in the Foggia area is improved considerably with the supply of power from Central Italy. While it is considered that some curtailment will still be necessary in that area as in all of Italy today, it is expected that some additional generating capacity will be restored to service in South Italy within the next two months.

CONCURRENCE:

Electrical Div.

Industry and Utilities Sub-Comm.

Supply Group

FOR THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER:

HARLAN CLEVELAND
Acting Vice President

Copy to: American Area Town Major,
Headquarters 62nd Air Service Group, APO 534

Headquarters 2nd Bombardment Group (Hv), APO 534

Headquarters, NAFCD, APO 525

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4 January 1946

SUBJECT: Electric Power in FOGGIA Area

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To: Headquarters, Allied Commission, APO 394

1. Reference attached letter from Headquarters 529th Air Service Group American Area Town Major DSI/jac of 12 December, with accompanying endorsements from Headquarters 529th Air Service Group, Headquarters 2nd Bombardment Group (Hv) and Headquarters NAFGD.

2. The above is forwarded to you for whatever action you may deem suitable and for comment to this Headquarters. LRS/215L/9 of 24 November and LRS/215B/296 of 15 December refer.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL MORGAN:

A. L. HAMBLEN,
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-5.

5 JAN 1946

Encl: as above

Copy to: American Area Town Major,
Headquarters 529th Air Service Group, APO 534)

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HEADQUARTERS
529TH AIR SERVICE GROUP
AMERICAN AREA TOWN MAJOR
APO 534 US ARMY

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12 December 1945

SUBJECT: Electric Power in Foggia Area.

TO : Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 528, US Army, THRU:
Commanding Officer, 529th Air Service Gp, APO 534, US Army.

1. It has come to the attention of this office that the Foggia Area is faced with a serious shortage of electric power this winter.

2. It is stated by the Societa' Generale Pugliese di Elettricita' (the electric company serving this area) that the reasons for the threatened shortage are as follows:

a. Of the two plants which would normally furnish power to this area, that at Pescara is inoperative, while the Sila plant can provide only a limited amount, since it must supply Naples as well.

b. The Italian Ministry of Public Works has decided to abandon its plan to connect this area with the Terni power line.

3. It is further stated that the city of Foggia has been considered to have a priority in the allotment of power, both because of military needs and because it is the principal city of its Province. In spite of this priority, conservation of electric power has been necessary for some time.

4. The inadequacy of power in this region has been borne patiently by the civilian population. As long as this has been true, and as long as military needs and military security have not been endangered, the local military command has not felt inclined to register any protest.

5. Furthermore, it seemed until recently that the present difficulties would end with the completion of the connection with the Terni power line, thus insuring an adequate supply of power for all purposes, both military and civilian. This expectation was greatly strengthened by the fact that the necessary connecting line was actually built and even tested. The anticipation of this solution to the problem naturally made the situation easier to bear.

6. Now, however, in view of the Ministry's plan to allot the Terni power not to Foggia after all, but to the Val d'Arno corporation in Tuscany, the situation here becomes extremely grave.

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7. The military organizations in this area require, of course, a sufficiency of power for their needs at all times. But even if this is assured, there are other factors demanding attention. Some of them are these:

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a. Besides wheat, the only important crop in this region is the olive crop. The season for manufacturing olive oil is at hand, and if the oil is not made during the next two months, the crop will be wasted and any expected return from it lost. And the oil cannot be made without power to operate the olive-crushing machinery.

b. Besides being one of the most badly-bombed cities in Italy, Foggia for over two years has been a center of concentration for Allied troops, a fact which has rendered doubly difficult the tremendous problems of re-housing and re-constructing. To be enabled to return to anything like normality, the area must have as much opportunity as possible of realizing on its avilable sources of livelihood.

8. It has been policy of this office, as well as of the commands in conjunction with which it works, to do everything in its power to alleviate the burdens of military occupation upon the civilian population. As to any direct reaction of the civilians against the military here, in the event of this threatened misforturn, this office and its higher commands have little fear. But any possibility of outbreak or violence of any sort as the result of this desperate situation must be regarded as a hazard to military security, and from that point of view this office must request that any plan which would deprive this area of adequate power be speedily reconsidered.

9. It is requested that this matter be taken up with the proper authorities, and with the utmost speed, since the fermentation of the olives will take place very shortly.

David S Ives

DAVID S. IVES,
Captain, A.C.,
American Area Town Major
Foggia.

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1st Ind.
HQS, 529TH AIR SV GP, APO 534, US ARMY, 12 Dec 1945

TO: CG, MTOUSA, APO 528,US Army

THRU: CO, 2nd Bomb Gp (Hv), APO 534, US Army

Request favorable consideration.

James J. Groves

JAMES J. GROVES,
Lt Col., A. C.,
Commanding.

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(Basic: Ltr, Am Town Major, 529th ASG, subj: Electric Power in Foggia Area, dtd 12 Dec 45)

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HQ, 2D BOMBARDMENT GROUP (Hv), APO 534, US ARMY, 15 Dec 45.

THRU: CG, NAFGD, APO 528, US Army.

TO : CG, MTOUSA, APO 512, US Army.

The undersigned concurs in the recommendation of the Town Major that a priority in the allotment of electric power be given the city of Foggia. The statements and conclusions set forth in the basic communication clearly indicate that a failure to effect such priority promptly would greatly increase the problem of maintaining military occupation of this area and the undersigned requests that prompt action be taken to eliminate the potential hazard to military security presented by this shortage of electric power.

ROBERT K. MARTIN
Colonel, Air Corps
Commanding

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Hqs, NAFGD, APO 528, U. S. Army, 19 December 1945

TO: Commanding General, MTOUSA, APO 512, U. S. Army

1. Requests as set forth in basic communication, strongly concurred in.

2. It is suggested that this matter warrants speedy action.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

ROBERT L. MASON
1st Lt., AC
Adjutant

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PERTAINING TO ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY IN FOGGIA AREA
FORWARDED WITH FOLIO 94.

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APO 394
Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission

214/PWU

8 January 1946

SUBJECT: Bids for Electric Power in Northern Italy

TO : Ministry of Public Works
(Attn: Prof. A. Asta)

1. When the Regional Commission for the electric power in Northern Italy is formed at Milan, please see that XIII Corps and Chief Engineer, No. 2 District, are considered as military representatives on the Commission in Milan and on the Central Commission in Rome.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Colonel, Inf.,
Chief Elec. Div.

Copy to: Economic Commissioner for Northern Italy
Milan Office
(Attn: Major A. Haban)

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8 January 1946

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SUBJECT: Bids for Electric Power in Northern Italy

TO : Economic Commissioner for Northern Italy
Milan Office
(Attn: Major A. Haban)

1. Enclosed for your information is a copy of a letter addressed to the XIII Corps, no. 2 District.

2. When the Regional Commission of Northern Italy is formed at Milan, would you see that the Commission, XIII Corps, and no. 2 District are notified.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Colonel, Inf.,
Chief Elec. Div.

Enclosure: Letter to XIII Corps, No. 2 District, dated December 31, 1945

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214/PWU 7 January 1945

SUBJECT : Control of Electric Power in Northern Italy

TO : Economic Commissioner for Northern Italy
Milan Office
(Attn: Major A. Haban)

1. Enclosed for your information and guidance is a copy of a telegram from AFHQ dated 25 December 1945, no. C-49768, together with a copy of our reply dated 5 January, 1946, no. 9957.

2. Upon formation of the Central Commission for the control of electric power for Northern Italy and Milan, be certain that XIII Corps Rear and C. E. II District are notified of meetings and are placed on the mailing list for agendas and minutes.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Colonel, Inf.,
Chief Elec. Div.

Enclosures: Telegram no. C-49768 from AFHQ, 25 Dec. 1945
Telegram to AFHQ no. 9957, 5 January 1946

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January 1946

SUBJECT: Electric Power in Rome

TO : Executive Commissioner

1. Ref. your 5404/EC dated 10 Dec. 45.

2. The low voltage and low frequency which Rome has been experiencing recently are the result of three conditions which have developed gradually over the past few weeks.

(a) The prolonged drought, which is the worst that Italy has experienced in the last 20 years, is causing a diminished flow of water in the streams on which the Hydro plants supplying power are situated with a consequent reduction in both energy and capacity output.

For November it was necessary to reduce the power allocations to areas in Central Italy to meet the reduction in generating capacity brought about by diminished output of stream flow electric power plants. Rome's allocation was reduced from 80,000 kw to 65,000 kw in the morning and 75,000 kw in the evening.

This was restored for the month of December to 80,000 kw for both morning and evening on the expectation that the normal rainfall conditions would be realized during that month.

The drought conditions continued up until about the middle of December. In the meantime the load on the Central Italy grid system continued to increase to the point where the generators were being overloaded causing them to operate at a lower speed with a consequent lower frequency and at a lower voltage and very much lower efficiency. Heavy loads on some local distribution circuits also further reduced the voltage to the users of power. To alleviate the situation the power companies arranged, in accordance with instructions from the Ministry of Public Works, for periodic disconnection of large areas for varying periods

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of time in order to reduce the load on the generators and thereby prevent the frequency and voltage from going any lower. The service being received by the users who had not been disconnected was, even then, far from what would be considered desirable, but it was necessary to maintain some service to many important establishments even if it was of poor quality. Actually, therefore, Rome and other areas of Central Italy were not getting their full allocations.

(b) The normal seasonal change and shorter days cause an overlap of lighting and industrial loads which results in higher system loads.

(c) The lack of heating and cooking fuels and the limited artificial gas supply has resulted in abnormal domestic usage for heating and cooking purposes.

3. In anticipation of the conditions outlined in para 2 above A.C. recommended to the Italian Government in letter 10 November 45 Ref. [illegible]/9.09 that immediate steps be taken to set up a rationing program not only in Central Italy but Northern and Southern Italy as well. The Government authorities are working on an effective application of an electric power rationing program and have made considerable improvement since the initial phase of taking over the control of the supply and utilization of electricity. This is just now beginning to get under way and the Electrical Division of Ind. & Util. G.C.A.C. and the Inspectorate Generale for Electricity, Water and Gas of the Ministry of Public Works are collaborating on the matter.

4. The control of electric power, which was formerly handled by A.F.L.R.(I)B, was turned over to Italian Government control in December 1945. It is appreciated that some difficulties would arise in the initial phase of turning over to the Italian authorities, who have given assurance that military and other essential requirements would be given priority and met.

5. With respect to sign lighting and public lighting, specific instructions have already been issued by the Provincial Committee for the Control of Electricity to prohibit the use of such lighting.

6. Other steps which have been taken to get the situation under control are as follows:

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(c) The power companies, through the Italian Government have been advised to reinstitute the system of priority circuits for Rome which were successfully used during the power shortage period after Central Italy was liberated.

7. Central Italy will be short of power for 1945 due to many generating plants not yet being restored to operation on which the area formerly depended for its power. It is expected that there will be more periods of difficulty from power shortages until such time as there is an availability sufficient to meet the demands with a margin for reserve or breakdown. Under present conditions every plant is being operated to maximum capacity - in other words, nothing is being wasted. As a result, when a machine or line fails or must be taken out of service for maintenance or repairs, an equivalent amount of load must be cut off. When a major break-down occurs the equivalent amount of load must stay off until repairs are effected.

8. It has been and will be, therefore, simply a matter of making the best use of what is available even if it is poor quality at times. The fact should not be overlooked that the enemy carried out a thorough job of demolition on all power plants in Central Italy and today less than 50% of this generating capacity has been restored to service. This, along with a drought condition, has presented problems in electric power that have never existed before in this part of Italy.

HARLAN CLEVELAND
Acting Vice President

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SUBJECT IS CONTROL OF ELECTRIC POWER IN ITALY FD

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PARA TWO FD THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IS ESTABLISHING A REGIONAL COMMISSION IN MILAN SIMILAR TO THOSE ESTABLISHED IN NAPLES CMA ROME CMA FLORENCE AND WILL BE A PART OF AND RESPONSIBLE TO THE CENTRAL COMMISSION FOR THE CONTROL OF ELECTRIC POWER BY THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT LOCATED IN ROME FD

PARA THREE FD THE REGIONAL COMMISSION TO BE ESTABLISHED IN MILAN WILL HANDLE ALL MATTERS RELATING TO ELECTRIC POWER IN NORTHERN ITALY CMA EXCEPTING THE AREA UNDER THIRTEENTH CORPS DASH CONTROL IN WHICH CASE THE COMMISSION WILL COORDINATE TO INSURE THE SUPPLY OF ELECTRIC POWER TO THAT AREA FD MAJOR HADAM CMA ELECTRICAL OFFICER ALSCOM HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO COORDINATE WITH MAJOR COOK CMA THIRTEENTH CORPS

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CONTROL OF ELECTRIC POWER IN ITALY IS SUBJECT. THIS CONFIRMS TELEPHONED MESSAGE FOR COL. PARKER THIS MORNING.

1. HOW DO ITALIAN GOVERNMENT PROPROSE TO CONTROL ELECTRICITY IN NORTH ITALY WHEN THIS REVERTS TO THEIR CONTROL IN IMMDIATE FUTURE.

2. WILL THEY EXTEND FUNCTION OF CENTRAL COMMISSION AND APPOINT LOCAL COMMISSIONS AS IN CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN ZONES. IF SO WHERE WILL THEY BE SITUATED PARTICULARLY THE COMMISSION THAT WOULD CONTROL PART 13 CORPS AREA. LESS UDINE AND VENEZIA GUILIA WHICH UNDERSTOOD WILL NOT BE HANDED BACK YET.

3. ASSURANCE IS REQUESTED THAT NO MAINFEEDER CUTS WILL BE MADE AFFECTING 13 CORPS AREA WITHOUT DUR AND TIMELY WARNING TO 13 CORPS REAR AND THIS HQ.

4. HOW LONG IS THIS RATIONING GOING TO BE NECESSARY IN NORTH ITALY.

5. INVITATIONS NOT YET RECEIVED TO ATTEND CENTRAL COMMISSION MEETING IN ROME 29 BY DW OR CE 3 DIST BUT REPS WILL ATTEND. UNDERSTOOD AT LAST MEETING YOU WOULD ADVISE ALL CONCERNED. 6.CE 2 DIST AND CE 13 CORPS REPS ARE REQUIRED ON CENTRAL COMMISSION WHEN ITALIAN GOVERNMENT TAKE OVER IN THEIR AREAS. 7. IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ANSWER MAY ABOVE POINTS BE PUT ON AGENDA FOR THE MEETING PLEASE. 8. INFORMATION REQUIRED MOST URGENTLY IN ORDER THAT 13 CORPS COMDT CAN BE ADVISED SITUATION.

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Information telephone by Maj Sneyd
28/12 to Maj Cooney AFHQ Pers.

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SUBJECT: Electrical Rates, North Italy

No	Date	To	REMARKS	From
2	7/1	A/NP Economic Section through (1) Dir., Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission (2) Chief, Supply Group	1. During the latter part of November the rapid increase in power consumption and system loads indicated emergency measures would have to be taken. It was found necessary to institute a program of rationing in order to avoid emptying the storage reservoirs upon which Northern Italy depends for its winter electric power supply. 2. In addition, it was deemed necessary to immediately place into operation the thermal plants in Northern Italy to also provide additional electric energy and arrangements were made to allocate sufficient coal to operate them. 3. Without these two measures being taken it became apparent in December that Northern Italy would be practically without power by the middle of February 1946. Normally the melting snows and rains do not begin to refill the reservoirs until sometime in March which would mean about one and one-half months' of extreme shortage.	

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			4. Since all of the electric power of Northern Italy is now in a common pool, it was considered proper that the cost of operating the thermal plants be spread over all consumers in Northern Italy on the basis of energy actually used rather than requiring the power companies with the thermal plants to bear the entire cost. 5. The surcharge was determined jointly by the representatives of the Italian Ministry and all power companies concerned. This was checked by and in agreement with the Price Fixing Committee of Northern Italy and by the Northern Italy Industrial Committee. The surcharge was intended to cover only the increase in cost of the energy produced by the steam plants over the cost of hydro power. 6. With respect to the rationing program, it is anticipated that there will be enforcement difficulties and non-compliance by many users. The Italian Government is aware of this situation, but it will be entirely up to them to enforce the control measures to the best of their ability. This matter has been discussed at considerable length with the representatives of the Ministry of Public Works who are fully aware of the situation. 7. It is believed that the explanation in Economic Commissioners' cable 31 Dec. clarifies the questions raised by AMG Venezia Region in their cable 31 Dec. and that XIII Corps will take necessary steps to make rate increase applicable in that area.	

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SUBJECT: Electrical Rates, North Italy

No	Date	To	REMARKS	From -
			Page 3 8. Major A. Haban, Electrical officer, A.C., stationed in Milan, has been instructed to coordinate this matter with Major Cook, Electrical Engineer with XXII Corps GEORGE F. PARKER. Colonel, Inf. Chief Elec. Div.	

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AMG VENEZIE REGION

ECONOMIC COMMISSIONER C/O LOMBARDIA REGION AND MILAN

INFO : HQ ALCOM ATTENTION VICE PRESIDENT ECONOMIC SECTION HQ AMG 13 CORPS

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Reference your regional order 17 in respect electricity rates which is already published in your press. Submit there is error in reference to Tre Venezie. Regulations affecting Italy are not automatically applicable to Venezie Giulia. AM submitting your proposals to AMG 13 Corps but they must decide on merits of case in Venezia Giulia. AM issuing order today as regional order covering Venezia Euganea and Venezia Tridentina but with reluctance and only to support uniform action. Dislike any agreement raising Public Service costs without proper representation Public consumer interests. Cost of electricity already raised 150 per cent since liberation. Understand no representative of Veneto Public interests present at meeting though 1 main result is to compel 5 million Veneti mostly consuming water electricity to contribute to cost of steam electricity to city of Milan. Recommending most desirable Italian Government Authorities review position soonest possible date to secure actual costs operating thermal plants during this winter. This especially important in view present observed favourable signs

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decreased price level consumer goods and foreign currencies.

Fear this desirable tendency may be checked by rise electricity costs.

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From: Economic Commissioner c/o Lombardia Region AMG Milan

To: AMG Venezia Region Inf: HQ A C - Vice President Economic Section Rome - HQ AMG 13 Corps

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Reference is your cable 31012.

1. Paragraph 4 of letter ref ecnielec/108/63 does not infer that all thermal electric power terminates at Milan but indicates that thermal electric power is inadequate to fulfill electric deficit.

2. 15-20 percent of thermal electric power for North Italy is or will be generated at Mestre and Porta Marghera in Venezia Region and said power is or will be on the Adriatica grid system.

3. Regional order No. 16 this HQ Art. 9 provides for pooling of all electrical energy.

4. Subject price decree was made in collaboration with Italian Ministry of Rome.

5. Labor and Industry were represented in formulating the price decree on a North Italy scale by CIAI and CGIL.

6. Over-charge rates will be adjusted if price of fuel improves.

7. Cost of operation of steam plants was calculated jointly by the electrical engineer this HQ, by the representative of the Italian Ministry from Rome by all power camp ones concerned said figures were checked by the price fixing committee of North Italy and by the North Italy industrial committee

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8 January 1946

SUBJECT: Electric Power for Northern Italy

TO : Economic Commissioner for Northern Italy
Milan Office
(Attn: Major A. Haban)

1. Enclosed for your information and guidance are copies of two telegrams, one from AMG, Venezia Region and reply by the Economic Commissioner, Lombardia Region and Milan, dated 31 December, together with a memorandum to the Acting Vice-President, Economic Section, dated January 7.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Colonel, Inf.
Chief Elec. Div.

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7 January 1946

SUBJECT: Electric Power Control, Italian Government, North Italy

TO : Economic Commissioner for Northern Italy
Milan Office
(Attn: Major A. Haben)

1. Enclosed herewith for your information is a copy of a letter dated 24 December 1945 which was sent to all Prefects in North Italy by the Minister of Public Works.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Colonel, Inf.,
Chief Elec. Div.

Enclosure: Translation of letter from Minister of Public Works, dated 24 Dec. 1945

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Translation 7 pages.

SUBJECT: Rationing of Electric Power Consumption

TO : All Prefects in Northern Italy

79 pages

With the returning of that Province to the Italian Administration, it will be in force, among the others, the Royal Legislative Decree April 3 1944 - no. 95 published in the Gazzetta Officiale of April 5 1944, containing the instructions for the limitation of electric power consumption.

Disregarding the amount of curtailments considered in that decree, which were and are subjected to variations, according to local and temporary necessities, it is necessary that the Decree be enforced as far as Article no. 8 is concerned, that is the appointment of Provincial Commissions.

With regard to that Article I am now pointing out that, according to instructions now being issued, in the place of the official of Consiglio Provinciale dell'Economia, two other officials, one of the local Chamber of Commerce and the other from the Ispettorato del Lavoro, will be appointed members of the Commission.

Coopted members, having specific knowledge in some technical branches, may be invited to join the Commission when required by the importance of the matter to be discussed, but in this case it would be advisable to inform the Central Commission, at the Ministry of Public Works. The Central Commission may also, when it will be necessary, appoint its own representative to attend to the meetings of any Provincial Commission.

The Commissions of Genova, Turin, Milan and Venice may also, from time to time, be requested by the Central Commission, to operate as Regional Commissions, for the coordination of the Provincial Commissions work.

Since it is now necessary that, at the end of this month, all the instructions for the electric power rationing agreed by those interested together with the responsible Italian Authorities and issued by A.M.G with separate decrees for Liguria, Piemonte, Lombardia and Veneto be confirmed, this will be done by that Prefettura in the area in which it is responsible, with the only difference that the supervision and control attributed by that decree, to the Economic Commission of A.M.G. are now handed over to the Central Commission at this Ministry.

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I beg to draw the attention of that Prefetture on the importance of quickly confirming the Allied instructions concerning the rationing of electric power in order to avoid any discontinuity in the handing over of this matter by A.M.G. to us. Will you also please inform this Ministry on the measures taken, possibly specifying the names of the officials appointed members of the Provincial Commission.

signed by the

Minister of Public Works

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Inter Office Memo

214/PWU

5 Jan 1946

SUBJECT : Conservation of Electric Power

TO : Economic Section
(Attn. Acting Vice President)

FROM : Public Works and Utilities Dept.

Ref. ES/9.01 - 20 Dec 45

1. The conservation of electric power in North Italy was put into effect under A.M.G. provincial orders during December 1945. To assure that the provisions of the A.M.G. orders would continue into effect, the Italian Government directed that Government decrees incorporating the provisions of the rationing orders be enacted.

2. Since the power consumed in the area under the control of XIII Corps came from the common power pool of North Italy, the XIII Corps cooperated with the rationing program and enacted the same control measures in their area. As a consequence, XIII Corps will, of necessity, have to be fully informed on all matters pertaining to electricity. The inter connection of power systems which exists in North Italy requires that all areas must be treated alike. This includes the area which is under Yugoslav jurisdiction.

3. We do not interpret the cable from AFHQ to XIII Corps as being involvment, instead it is a case of being informed and liaison. The situation in North Italy will be the same as it has been in Central and Southern Italy where close liaison has always existed between the Military Districts and Sections and the Electrical Division of this Sub-Commission and Public Works and Utilities Section of A.M.G. Power systems are not confined to Military areas but overlap in practically all instances. The many difficulties that have arisen in the past as a result of this overlaping have always been amiably solved to everyone's satisfaction and there is no reason to believe that the same cooperation will not continue.

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4. The present military interest in the power situation is only to the extent with which the supply of service to the military establishments will be affected by rationing and the extent to which they themselves must ration power to conform with the general plan.

5. The answer to your para 4 has been largely answered in the foregoing. Our recommendations are that no action be taken at this time since every effort is being exerted to assist the Italian Government in handling the responsibility for control of electric power and the military agencies are cooperating to this end.

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Chief Elec. Div.

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APO 394
Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission

214/PWU

5 January 1946

SUBJECT: Mailing List Electric Power

TO : Ministry Public Works
(Att. Eng. Asta)

1. Reference is made to our letter dated 18 December 1945 where-in we transmitted mailing list for the agendas and minutes of the proceedings of the Central Commission for the control of electric power.

2. Under the "Districts and Areas Group" the unit identified as "CG, University Command" should be removed from the mailing list.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Colonel, Inf.,
Chief Elec. Div.

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
AFLRS

U.S. & U.K.
4 JAN 1946

Postal Address:
AFLRS, Rome Area Allied Command,
C.M.P.

Tel: ROME 66275.

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L33/2150/299.

31 December 1945.

SUBJECT : Bids for Electric Power.

TO : HQ XIII Corps.
HQ No. 2 District.

1. AFHQ Adm. Memo No. 54 of 1945 provides for your inclusion in the military membership of the Italian Central Commission for the Distribution and Utilization of Electric Power.

2. A local Power Commission subsidiary to the Central Commission is in process of being established in North Italy. This Commission when established will receive your bids for electric power. A copy of this Section's L33/2150/296 dated 15 Dec 45, setting out the procedure in Central and Southern Italy, is forwarded for information.

3. It is understood from HQ AIOC Industry & Utilities Sub-Commission that the AMG and Italian officials responsible for the establishment of the Power Commission for North Italy are maintaining close liaison with you and will notify you when the Commission is ready to start.

WALTER G. GREAVY, Major, QMC.
Chief of Section (Ir),
A.F.L.R.S.

S.J.B. LOUDEN, Major, RAOC,
Chief of Section (Br),
A.F.L.R.S.

Copy to : HQ AIOC, Industry & Utilities Sub-Commission.

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MINISTERO DEI LAVORI PUBBLICI

IV Sezione del Consiglio Superiore

UFFICIO MOBILITAZIONE ENERGIA ELETTRICA

COMMISSIONE CENTRALE PER LA LIMITAZIONE DEL CONSUMO DELL'ENERGIA ELETTRICA

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ALLE PREFETTURE DEI TERRITORI DELL'ALTA ITALIA
e per conoscenza:
COMMISSIONE ALLEATA - SOTTOCOMMISS. LAVORI E SERVIZI PUBBLICI -, DIVISIONE ELETTRICA
Via Veneto
ROMA

Vs.

Ns. 3161

ROMA 24 Dic. 1945

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Oggetto: Limitazione del consumo della energia elettrica -

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Col passaggio di codesta Provincia all'Amministrazione italiana avrà vigore in essa, tra altri, il R.Decreto Legge 3 aprile 1944 N.95, pubblicato sulla Gazzetta Ufficiale del 5 stesso mese, il quale reca norme per la limitazione del consumo della energia elettrica -

A prescindere dalla misura delle limitazioni ivi contenute le quali hanno subito e subiscono delle variazioni a seconda delle necessità di tempo e di luogo, è necessario che esso decreto venga intanto applicato per quanto riguarda l'art. 8 con la nomina delle Commissioni provinciali da esso prevista -

Al riguardo faccio presente che, giusta disposizioni in corso di emanazione, in luogo di un funzionario del Consiglio Provinciale dell'economia dovranno, essere chiamati a far parte della Commissione stessa: un funzionario della locale Camera di Commercio ed uno dell'Ispettorato del lavoro -

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Vs. Ns. 3181 ROMA 24 Dic. 1945

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OGGETTO: Limitazione del consumo della energia elettrica -

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Le Commissioni di Genova, Torino, Milano e Venezia potranno essere di volta in volta incaricate dalla Commissione Centrale di funzionare nei suoi rapporti come Commissioni regionali per coordinare il lavoro delle Commissioni provinciali -

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IL MINISTRO
F.to CATTANI

PER COPIA CONFORME
L'ISPETTORE GENERALE
(Marco Visentini)

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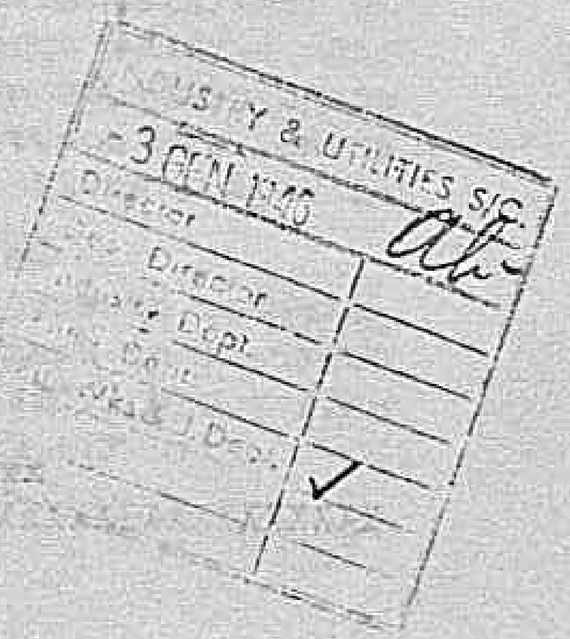
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~~IV Sezione del Consiglio Superiore~~
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COMMISSIONE CENTRALE PER IL RAZIONAMENTO DELL'ENERGIA ELETTRICA

Vs. ----------

Ai Componenti la
Commissione Centrale

Ns. 3187 ROMA 24 dicembre 1945

e per conoscenza

Alla COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
all'attenzione del
Col. PARKER ROMA

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OGGETTO: Commissione Centrale per il razionamento dell'energia elettrica. - Riunione della Commissione. -

Pregiomi comunicare che questa Commissione Centrale si riunirà sabato 29 c.m. alle ore 9.30 presso il Ministero dei Lavori Pubblici (piano VI° - stanza n. 19) per discutere il seguente ordine del giorno:

1) Comunicazioni del Presidente.

2) Esame delle assegnazioni di energia alle regioni centro-meridionali per il mese di gennaio 1946.

3) Esame di richieste di utenti contro le decisioni delle Commissioni Provinciali.-

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4) Esame di richieste di nuove assegnazioni di energia elettrica.

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No. 3107 ROMA 24 dicembre 1945

Alla COMMISSIONE ALLEATA
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IL PRESIDENTE
(Marco Visentini)

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I am pleased to inform you that the Central Commission will have a meeting at 0930 on saturday 29 December at the Ministry of Public Wks Bldg (6th floor, room 19) to discuss the following agenda.

1) Statement by the Chairman

2) To review power allocations in Southern and Central Italy for the month of January 1946.

3) To discuss complaints of customers against the decision of the Provincial Commissions.

4) To review new application for power.

5) Any other business

Prof. M. Visentini 56/3
Chairman To the Committee.

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
AFHQ

LRS/215L/14.

SUBJECT : Electric Power.

TO : HQ Allied Commission,
Industry & Utilities
Sub-Commission.

Postal Address:
AFLRS, Rome Area Allied Command,
C. M. F.

Tel: ROME 66275.

28 December 1945.

1. Consequent upon publication of AFHQ Administrative Memorandum Number 54 dated 28 Dec 45, and the control and allocation of Electric Power now being vested in the Central Commission established by the Italian Government, copies of the distribution list for Agenda and Minutes of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee are forwarded herewith for your information.

2. It is suggested that some similar distribution to ensure adequate notification to military units will be necessary in respect of Agenda and Minutes of the Central Commission.

WALTER G. GREAVY, Major, QMC,
Chief of Section (US),
A.F.L.R.S.

S.J.B. LOUDEN, Major, DAQMG,
Chief of Section (Br),
A.F.L.R.S.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Chief Commissioner
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Ref. PWU/214

29 December 1945

My dear Mr. Prime Minister :

With further reference to my letter of 23 November 1945 (copy attached for ease of reference), I am authorized by Allied Force Headquarters to notify you that the responsibilities and functions of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee are passed to the Italian Government, subject to the priority of electric service to military establishments in Italy being maintained as at present.

In confirmation of informal discussions, which have already taken place between Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission Allied Commission and the Ministry of Public Works, it is requested that Allied Commission be formally notified of the time and place of the first meeting of the Italian Government agency which will have jurisdiction over power allocations in order that representatives of the military agencies may be notified and can attend.

In order that the military agencies can secure liaison with, and submit bids to, the local Italian organizations dealing with allocations of electric power in Naples, Rome and Florence, it is requested that you furnish Allied Commission with the names and addresses of such Italian organizations, together with the names of the Presidents and members, so that the appropriate local military agencies can be informed.

/s/ Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner.

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Doctor Alcide De Gasperi
President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome.

Copy to: C.A.C. A.F.H.Q.
APIRS, A.F.H.Q. (LRS/215/12 of 10 December refers)

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
A.F.H.Q.

Postal Address
A.F.L.R.S.
ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
C.M.F.

TEL : 66275 : ROME

LRS/215L/12.

19th December 45

SUBJECT : Allied Force Electric Power Committee.

TO : HQ Allied Commission, Economic Section.

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3. The Italian Government should also be requested to arrange that the following military services are notified of any meetings of the Central Commission in order that their representatives can attend :-

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HQ, Rome Area Allied Command.
HQ, Allied Commission
Director of Works, GHQ, CMF.
Director of Military Railway Services.

4. In order that military services can liaise with, and submit their bids to, the appropriate Italian organization, will you please inform the Office of the CAO, AFHQ of the addresses of the Local Power Commissions which the Italian Government proposes to establish in NAPLES, ROME and FLORENCE.

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11 DEC 1945 - Original to

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11 DEC 1945 - Original to Staffs Gp for J-U s/c for Appr Action. cH

15 DEC 1945 - Major Laughlin showed me draft of ltr to PM.

S.J.B. LOUDEN, Major, RAMC,
for Chiefs of Section,
A.F.L.R.S.

SJBL/gs.

COPY TO:- C.A.O., A.F.H.Q.

HQ Allied Commission, Industry & Utilities Sub Commission.

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28 December 1945

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My dear Mr. Prime Minister:

Due to the abnormal heavy load demands for electric power in North Italy it has become necessary to publish and place into effect Allied Military Government curtailment and rationing measures, in territory under A.M.G. Control. In order that power conservation measures be uniform throughout North Italy, on 17 December 1945, a copy of the Allied Military Government Regional Orders for rationing and control of electric power was furnished the Minister of Public Works for publishing and placing into effect as a Ministerial Decree in Emilia Region.

In view of the early termination of Allied Military Government control of certain territory in North Italy, and in order that A.M.G. electric power control orders established as emergency measures remain in effect, I recommend that your Government be prepared to put into operation immediately a Ministerial Decree incorporating the general provisions of the existing A.M.G. Orders upon assumption of control of the above territory.

It is further recommended that an electric power Regional Commission similar to the one in Naples, Rome and Florence be established in Milan for coordinating the activities of the Provincial Commissions for distribution and utilization of electric power and to facilitate the operation of the Central Commission established in Rome in accordance with authority contained in Decree No. 95 dated 3 April 1944.

/s/ Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner.

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Doctor Alcide De Gasperi
President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
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22 December 1945

SUBJECT : Electric Power Committee Meetings.

TO : Deputy Commander, R.A.C.C. APO 794.

1. Reference your G233/9 - dated 13 December 45.

2. Confirming telephone conversation of 21 Dec 45 the time and place of meetings of the two committees, para 2 of your letter, are as follows:-

(a) Central Commission:
The Central Commission for the distribution and utilization of Electric Power will meet at 09.30 saturday 29 December 45, in the office of the Ispettorato Generale Elettricita (Eng. Visintini) 6th Floor - Ministry of Public Works building, Via Nomentana No. 1, Roma.

(b) Rome - Local Commission:
The local "Commissione per il controllo e da disciplina della distribuzione e utilizzazione dell' energia elettrica" will meet on 24 December 45 in the cabinetto of the Prefettura - Prefettura Building - Roma.

G.P. PARKER,
Lt-Col., Inf.,
Chief Elec. Div.

c.c. G-4(A) RAAC.
G-4(B) RAAC.
Engineer Section, 104 CMP Works.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission

214/PWU

18 Dec 1945

SUBJECT : Mailing list Electric Power

TO : Ministry Public Works
att. Eng. Asta.

1. Attached is mailing list of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee whose functions have been taken over by the Central Commission formed under the Italian Government.

2. This mailing list should be used by the secretary of the committee in sending out the Agendas and minutes of the new committee. The list gives the number of each that should be sent to each military agency.

3. The Agenda for the meeting set for 29 Dec 45 should be sent out immediately. The date, time and place of the meeting have already been sent to A.C., R.A.A.C., P.B.S., Dist. 2 and 3, M.R.S., and MTOUSA.

4. If the secretary will prepare the envelopes and enclosures ready for mailing to the military agencies on the attached list we will arrange to have them mailed from the A.C. message centre for the time being.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Lt-Colonel, Inf.,
Chief Elec. Div.

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Mailing list A.F.E.P.C.

ALLIED FORCE ELECTRIC POWER COMMITTEE

DISTRIBUTION LIST

	AGENDA	MINUTES
A.F.H.Q. GROUP		
C-in-C, Med.	2	2
CAO, AFHQ	1	1
D/CAO, AFHQ	1	1
G-5, AFHQ	2	2
MTOUSA GROUP		
CG, MTOUSA	1	1
G-4, MTOUSA	8	8
Engineer Section, MTOUSA	1	1
Fiscal Director, MTOUSA	1	1
G.H.Q. GROUP		
Q(AE), GHQ CMF.	-	1
D.W., GHQ CMF.	1	1
F.A., GHQ CMF.	1	1
MISCELLANEOUS GROUP I		
A.O.C., AIR HQ RAF, Italy	1	1
A/F,A., AIR HQ RAF, Italy	1	1
Naples Air Force General Depot	2	2
HQ, 214 Group, RAF.	2	2
DMR, ITALY	2	2
Tn.(Main), Rome, CMF.	1	1
P.B.S. GROUP		
C.E., P.B.S.	3	3
DISTRICTS & AREAS GROUP		
HQ, No 2 District, CMF	1	1
CE, HQ No 2 District, CMF.	1	1
HQ, No 3 District, CMF	1	1
CE, HQ No 3 District, CMF	1	1
CG, Rome Area Allied Command	5	5
~~CG, University Command~~ HQ XIII Corps	1	1
NAVAL GROUP		

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CG, MTOUSA	1	1
G-4, MTOUSA	8	8
Engineer Section, MTOUSA	1	1
Fiscal Director, MTOUSA	1	1
G.H.Q. GROUP		
Q(AE), GHQ CMF.	-	1
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MISCELLANEOUS GROUP I		
A.O.C., AIR HQ RAF, Italy	1	1
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Naples Air Force General Depot	2	2
HQ, 214 Group, R.A.F.	2	2
BAR, ITALY	2	2
Tn. (Main), Rome, CMF.	1	1
P.B.S. GROUP		
C.E., P.B.S.	3	3
DISTRICTS & AREAS GROUP		
HQ, No 2 District, CMF	1	1
CE, HQ No 2 District, CMF.	1	1
HQ, No 3 District, CMF	1	1
CE, HQ No 3 District, CMF	1	1
CG, Rome Area Allied Command	5	5
~~CG, University Command~~	1	1
HQ XIII Corps	1	1
NAVAL GROUP		
Flag Officer Italy & Liaison (FOIL), ROME.	1	1
SENALUSNO, ITALY	1	1
CS, TARANTO	-	1
COMNOB, PALERMO	-	1
SNO, Eastern Sicily	-	1
ALLIED COMMISSION GROUP		
Chief Commissioner, HQ ALCOM	1	1
HQ ALCOM	1	1
Vice-President, Economic Section, HQ ALCOM	1	1
Economic Section, HQ ALCOM	6	6
Industry & Utilities Sub-Commission	2	17
CHAIRMAN GROUP		
~~Chairman, Allied Force Electric Power Committee~~	1	1

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
ECONOMIC SECTION

Tel: 550

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Ref: ES/9.01

20 December 45

SUBJECT: Conservation of Electric Power

TO : Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission
(Thru: Supply Group)

1. It was my understanding that the conservation of electric power was being handled by AMG, and after the end of AMG in each area would be handled by Italian Government machinery.

2. Attached cable from AFHQ to the Chief Engineer XIII Corps seems to indicate that the military are getting involved in the rationing scheme.

3. I should think that it would be most unfortunate for any rationing scheme involving the Italian electricity supply to be administered or even supervised by a purely military command.

4. Could you let me know the extent to which TwoDist and XIII Corps are involved in the rationing of electricity and what your recommendations, if any, are on this subject?

Harlan Cleveland.
HARLAN CLEVELAND
Acting Vice President

INDUSTRY & UTILITIES S/C.
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

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Fwd G.H.Q.

Originator's Reference: C48620
Date/Time of Origin: DEC.201855A
Message Centre No: G/6004
Date Time Rec'd: DEC.210930
Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: AFHQ

TO : REAR XIII CORPS INFO: 55 AREA ALCOM DISTWO.

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1. CE XIII corps has been aware of and can advise you the extent of rationing required. Our signals C42654 dated 1 December your signal CE WKS/148 dated 6 December and your letters WKS/3101 dated 5 December and 7 December all refer.
2. Duration of rationing conditioned primarily by rate of snow melting in southern Alps and secondarily by availability of coal and coke for gas production. March/April 46 is estimate.
3. 30% cut on overall consumption satisfactory.
4. Rationing instituted because shortage of alternative fuel caused comsumers to change over to electricity thus overloading system in north Italy.
5. Breakdown on 1 December is regretted and was made by Alcom in conjuction with distwo without knowledge of this HQ. This was explained to your CE and such action should not occur in the future.
6. There is not central electricity board. Until 30 November 45 there was an electric power committee which was responsible to the AFLRS board. This committee controlled power in central and southern Italy but was not responsible for electric power in the area north of the Appenines. Northern Italy still subject to Military control and responsibility for control of electric power is vested in CSE XIII Corps and distwo. Electric power however must be dealt with on national basis and cannot be dealt with on a parochial basis. Only Alcom have national picture therefore essential your CE effects close liaison with Alcom.
7. Italian Government have now taken over from military responsibility for control and allocation of electric power in central and southern Italy subject to military needs having priority. Understood through Alcom that Italian Government have set up a central electricity commission to control power in central and southern Italy.

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21 DIC 1945
Director
Dep Director
PWU

HEADQUARTERS
21 DEC 1945
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FROM: .....

TO : .....

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Appropriate military agencies will be represented on this commission. When North Italy is handed back to Italian Government control this Commission will presumably extend its jurisdiction to cover those areas of North Italy handed back to the Italian Government. Our representatives on this committee will then ask for your HQ and HQ distwo to be invited to be represented on this Commission.

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INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ECON SEC 2
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MINISTERO DEI LAVORI PUBBLICI

~~DIVISIONE DI COORDINAMENTO~~

~~DIREZIONE GENERALE MOBILITAZIONE INDUSTRIALE~~

ISPETTORATO GENERALE ELETTRICITA' ACQUA E GAS

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COMMISSIONE ALLEATA ---------- Vs. _____
Sottocommissione Lavori e Servizi Pubblici ----------
Divisione elettricità ----------
(all'attenzione del Col.Parker)
Via Veneto ----------

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OGGETTO : Assegnazione energia elettrica.

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Dette Commissioni, alle quali sono già state date le necessarie istruzioni, hanno sede presso le rispettive Prefetture e sono composte come segue :

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Ing.Rapido - Ispettore Superiore del Genio Civile
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Trasmetto Vi saluto.

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Ing.Bruno Bianchi - Membro in rappresentanza delle Aziende distributrici di energia elettrica

Sono chiamati a far parte della Commissione stessa in qualità di esperti tecnici i sottonotati :
Ing. Mario Ungaro
On.Ing. Romita per il Comune
Ing. Giacomo Moscardi, per l'Ispettorato del lavoro
Ing. Augusto Ranieri, Capo del servizio tecnico e degli Uffici della Commissione
Cav. Enrico Merlo, per la Associazione Agricoltori
Ing. Ruggiero De Rossi, Caposervizio Distribuzione A.C.E.A.

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Dott.Fausto Fasciani - Rappresentante amministrativo del Ministero LL.PP. - Membro;
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Ing.Giovanni Silva - Rappresentante le Società elettriche - Membro;
Ing.Raffaello Melograni - Rappresentante gli utenti industriali - Membro;

si riunirà il giorno 29 dicembre alle ore 9,30 presso questo Ispettorato Generale dell'elettricità (Ministero Lavori Pubblici - Via Nomentana - piano 6° - stanza 19) col seguente ordine del giorno:

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MINISTERO DEI LAVORI PUBBLICI

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ISPETTORATO GENERALE ELETTRICITA' ACQUA E GAS

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Ns. ROMA

1°- Esame delle assegnazioni di energia alle regioni centro-meridionali per il mese di gennaio 1946.
2°- Esame di ricorsi di utenti contro le decisioni delle Commissioni provinciali.
3°- Esame di richieste di nuove forniture di energia elettrica.
4°- Varie.

Le funzioni di Segretario Generale per tutti gli affari delle Commissioni sono affidate all'Ing. Ugo Corbino, di questo Ispettorato.

Questo Ministero è pronto ad avviare e far funzionare una o più Commissioni Regionali come quelle sopra indicate anche per le regioni dell'Alta Italia, non appena ciò risulterà necessario.

L'ISPETTORE GENERALE
(Marco Visentini)

M. Visentini

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TRANSLATION

From : Ministry of Public Works.
To : AC, PWU Dept,
Electrical Division (Attn Col. Parker)
Subject: Allocation of Electric Power.

In accordance with the recommendation made by the E.P.C. in the meeting of 42 Nov, and in addition to the Central Commission, this Ministry has arranged for activation of three Regional Commissions for the allotment of power in Naples, Rome and Florence.

These Commissions which have already received directions are located in the Prefetture and are formed as follows:

NAPOLI:

Dr. PICIOCCHI - Chairman, Counselor of the Prefettura.
Ing. BOVE - Representative of the distributing Coys.
Ing. BROFFERIO- " " of the consuming Coys.
Ing. PELLEGRINI- " " of Genio Civile.
Ing. FIORE - Secretary-Representative of C.P.E.
Ing. RAPIDO - Inspector of Genio Civile.
Prof. RUGGIERO- Representative of Servizio Idrografico (attchd).

ROMA

Dr.Renato SCAMBELLURI-Chairman, Counselor of Prefettura.
Ing.Ernesto SALVADORI-Representative of the Chamber of Commerce.
Ing.Publio CORTINI - " " of the Industrial Firms consuming electric power.
Ing.Pietro FROSINI -Representative of Genio Civile.
Ing.Bruno BIANCHI - " " of the distributing Coys.

The following Engineers have been appointed members of the Commission as technical experts :

Ing.Mario UNGARO.
Ing ROMITA - Representative of the Commune.
Ing.Giacomo MOSCARDI- " " of the Inspectorate for Labor
Ing.Augusto RANIERI- Chief of the technical Services and of the Offices of the Commission.
Cav.Enrico MERLO - Representative of the Associazione Agricoltori.
Ing.Ruggiero DE ROSSI-Chief of distribution services ACEA.

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Chairman - A counselor of the Prefetture not yet appointed.

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Ing.Alberto FRATI - Representative of Genio Civile.
" " - " " of the Provincial Council for Economy (not yet appointed).
Ing. LEGNAIOLI - Representative of the producing Coys.
" - - Representative of the Industrial Firms consuming power (not yet appointed).
Ing.L.GHERARDELLI- Representative of Servizio Idrografico (Atchd).

The dates of the first meeting for each Regional Commission are as follows :

NAPLES (date missing)
ROME (" ")
FLORENCE 22 Dec.

The members of the Central Commission are :

Prof.Ing.Marco VISENTINI - Chairman, representative of Ministry of Public Works.
Dott.Fausto FASCIANI - Administrative representative of Min. of Public Works.
Ing. Giuseppe PAVIA - Technical representative of Min. of Industry & Commerce.
Dott.Marcello Valentini - Administrative representative of Min. of Industry & Commerce.
Ing. Giovanni SILVA - Representative of the Electrical Companies.
Ing.Raffaello MELOGRANI - Representative of Industrial consumers.

The Central Commission will meet the 29 Dec at 0930 hrs in the Min. of Public Works, Ispettorato Generale for Electricity (Via Nomentana - 6th floor, room 19) to consider the following Agenda :

1. To review the allocations of power to Central and Southern regions for the month of January 1946.
2. To review claims of consumers against the decisions of the Provincial Commissions.
3. To review the requests for new allocations.
4. Any other business.

Ing.Ugo CORBINO of this Inspectorate is appointed General Secretary for all business of the Commission.

This Ministry is ready to activate one or more Commissions also for Northern Italy, as soon as it is deemed necessary.

The Inspector General
(sgnd) Marco Visentini

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
AFHQ.

LRS/215B/298.

Postal Address:
AFLRS, Rome Area Allied Command,
C.M.F.

Tel: ROME 66275.

15 December 1945.

SUBJECT : Electric Power Supply.

TO : Dr. SCAMBELLORI,
Presidente,
Commissione per il
Controlle e utilizzazione
dell'energia elettrica,
PREFETTURA, ROMA.

Herewith copy of bid for electric power supply for Janurry 1946, submitted by ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND.

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G.F. WHELDON, Captain,
for Chiefs of Section,
A.F.L.R.S.

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Copy to:- CG, RAAC.
HQ AIOOM, Industry & Utilities Sub.Com.

Ref. LRS/215B/296 dated 15 Dec 45.

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Ab-
Director
Dep Director
Industry Dept.
Power Dept.
Fuel Wks & U. Dept. ✓

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CONTROLLING SERVICES (ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND)

REQUEST FOR ALLOCATION OF ELECTRIC POWER FOR THE MONTH OF JAN 46.

AREA	Allocation for previous month		Allocation now required		NOTES
	DAY	NIGHT	DAY	NIGHT	
	KWS 10^3	KWS 10^3	KWS 10^3	KWS 10^3	
ROME AREA	80	45	80	45	No change.

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Memo. 17 Dec. 45.

attached list of names of Naples, Rome, and Florence commissions furnished to Maj. Loudon for distribution to Military agencies.

Also the following information on the first meeting of the Central Commission:-

Meeting to be held at 9:30 Saturday morning 29 Dec. 1945 in the office of the Inspector General for Electricity, Water and Gas (Eng. Visentini) on the 6th Floor of the Ministry of Public Works - Via Nazionale No 1. Room.

Bids to be in by the 20 Dec. Monday 17 Dec 45.

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Commissioni per il controllo e la disciplina della distribuzione e utilizzazione dell'energia elettrica.

NAPOLI

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Ing. Publio Cortini - Membro in rappresentanza delle Aziende Industriali utenti di energia elettrica
Ing. Bruno Bianchi - Membro in rappresentanza delle Aziende distributrici di energia elettrica

Sono chiamati a far parte della Commissione stessa in qualità di esperti tecnici i sottonotati:

Ing. Mario Ungaro
On.Ing. Romita per il Comune
Ing. Giacomo Moscardi, per l'Ispettorato del Lavoro
Ing. Augusto Ranieri, Capo del servizio tecnico e degli Uffici della

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Ing. Bova - Rappresentante delle Aziende distributrici

Ing. Brofferio - Rappresentante le Aziende utilizzatrici

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Cav. Enrico Merlo, per la Associazione Agricoltori

Ing. Ruggero De Rossi, Caposervizio Distribuzione A.C.E.A.

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FIRENZE

Presidente , un Consigliere di Prefettura (in corso di nomina)

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..... - Rappresentante del Consiglio Provinciale dell'Economia (in corso di nomina)

Ing. Legnaioli - Rappresentante delle Aziende Elettriche di produzione

..... - Rappresentante le Aziende Industriali utenti (in corso di nomina)

Ing. L. Gherardelli- Rappresentante del Servizio Idrografico (aggregato)

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15 DEC 1945

ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
APO 794, US Army

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Ref:- Q233/9
13 Dec 45

SUBJECT:- Electric Power Committee Meetings.

TO :- HQ AC, Public Works & Utilities Sub-Commission

1. With reference to the Minutes of Allied Force Electric Power Committee meeting, issued under LRS/215L/9 dated 24 Nov 45.

2. It is observed that two Commissions for the Control and Distribution of Electric Power are being established :-

(a) The Central Commission (Minute No.16 refers).

(b) The Local Power Commission for ROME.

3. RAAC will be represented on both these Commissions by a representative from G-4 Section and an Engineer Officer technically qualified on electric matters. This officer will be detailed by 104 CRE Works.

4. In addition, an Engineer officer of Engineers Section RAAC may attend meetings from time to time.

5. It is requested that notification be given as to when and where meetings of the Italian Committees will take place.

J.A.H.BANKS
Lt-Col
for Brigadier
Deputy Commander Rome Area Allied Command

Copy to:- G-4 (A) RAAC
G-4 (B) "
Engineer Sec "
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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
APO 394
FINANCE SUB-COMMISSION

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11 December 1945.

SUBJECT: Currency Printing - Interruptions in Electrical Service.

TO : Chief, Electrical Division,
Public Works - Utilities Division,
AC.

1. Istituto Poligrafico dello Stato, Rome, and Stabilimento Aristide Staderini, Via Baccina 45, Rome, are engaged in printing Italian currency essential to the national economy of Italy in which the Allied Commission and the Italian Government are vitally interested. Recently, due to recurring interruptions in electrical service the scheduled production of bank notes has seriously fallen off, as per attached correspondence.

2. Will you kindly endeavor to obtain for the above firms a higher priority for electrical service because of the important and urgent nature of their work and advise this office whether such is possible.

Director,
Finance Sub-Commission.

Enclos: as stated.

Copies to: AFA
Banca d'Italia
Istituto del Poligrafico dello Stato
Stabilimento Staderini.

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ROMA

Roma, 10 Dicembre 1945

Spett. B A N C A D'I T A L I A

R O M A

In relazione a quanto esposto telefonicamente Vi segnaliamo la urgente necessità di mantenere la preferenzialità al cavo che alimenta il nostro stabilimento.

Il giorno 5 dicembre la corrente elettrica è mancata dalle ore 7 alle ore 8, oggi dalle 9,30 alle 13,30 ed attualmente dalle 15,30 non è stata ancora erogata.

Vogliate prendere nota che mentre lo stabilimento è rimasto privo di energia elettrica, altre zone servite dalla stessa Società non hanno avuto interruzione come ad esempio il quartiere Salario.

Quanto sopra esposto sta a dimostrare che l'assoluta preferenzialità assicurata, è rimasta assicurata soltanto nei papiri.

Distinti saluti.

Stabilimento
ARISTIDE STADERINI

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Direzione dei Servizi Tecnici

Roma, 6 dicembre 1945

FINANCE ALLIED SUB-COMMISSION

R O M A

Si porta a conoscenza di Codesta Spett.Finance Allied Sub-Commission che in data 3 dicembre 1945 è stata inviata da parte nostra alla Azienda Elettrica del Governatorato (A.G.E.A) la lettera che vi accludiamo in copia.

Poichè come vi è noto questo Istituto sta provvedendo alla fornitura delle banconote per la Banca d'Italia e per il Governo Italiano, Vi preghiamo di volerVi interessare perchè sia ovviato con urgenza all'inconveniente segnalato della irregolarità sulla fornitura della energia elettrica, nei riguardi della frequenza e della tensione che causa delle serie difficoltà per gli impegni assunti dall'Istituto sulla improrogabile consegna delle forniture summenzionate.

Qualora, come sembra, non sia possibile eliminare gli inconvenienti lamentati dalla frequenza e dalla tensione, si prega di voler disporre la assegnazione della corrente sul cavo preferenziale.

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IL PRESIDENTE DEL CONSIGLIO DI AMMINISTRAZIONE
(Avv. Giorgio Zambruno)

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(C O P I A)

Roma, 3 dicembre 1945

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SPETT/SOCIETA' ROMANA DI ELETTRICITA'

R O M A

via Poli, 14

SPETT/AZIENDA GOVERNATORATO ELETTRICITA' ED ACQUE

R O M A

via Milano, 62

Secondo quanto è già noto alla Direzione Tecnica di Codesta Società, l'erogazione della energia elettrica fatta a questo Istituto da parecchio tempo e quotidianamente è insufficiente di tensione oltre che di frequenza.

Poichè tali insufficienze, sia di tensione che di frequenza, sono molto sensibili, scendendo durante le ore del giorno e di maggior carico fino ad un minimo di 150/160 volts in luogo dei 220 contrattuali ed una frequenza persino meno di 40 periodi, determinano un grave danno sia agli effetti delle lavorazioni, sia per i pericoli di bruciature di motori ed apparecchiature elettriche, dato che l'Istituto ha in corso importanti lavorazioni per lo Stato che non può assolutamente sospendere.

In considerazione di quanto esposto si prega Codesta Direzione di voler prendere quei provvedimenti più idonei per ovviare a questo grave inconveniente onde ottenere un aumento della tensione e della frequenza, o quanto meno disporre per l'alimentazione sul cavo preferenziale dato che trattasi, co'è noto di lavorazioni a carattere urgente allo Stato.

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Date 11 DEC 1945

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Deputy Vice President		Commerce (FT) S/C	
Price Branch		Labor S/C	
Chief Staff Officer			
✓ Staff Officer		Chief Commissioner	
Administrative Asst.		Exec. Commissioner	
Admn. & Pers. Br.		Civil Affairs Sec.	
Admn. Officer, FEA		Establishments Sec.	
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For appropriate action, as requested by Paras. 2 & 4 attached letter, copies of action correspondence to this Office, Dom.

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
A.F.H.Q.

Postal Address
A.F.L.R.S.
ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND
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TEL : 66275 : ROME

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10th December 45

SUBJECT : Allied Force Electric Power Committee.

TO : HQ Allied Commission, Economic Section.

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P.B.S.
HQ, No 3 District.
HQ, Rome Area Allied Command.
HQ, Allied Commission
Director of Works, GHQ, CMF.
Director of Military Railway Services.

4. In order that military services can liaise with, and submit their bids to, the appropriate Italian organization, will you please inform the Office of the CAO, AFHQ of the addresses of the Local Power Commissions which the Italian Government proposes to establish in NAPLES, ROME and FLORENCE.

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S.J.B. LOUDEN, Major, DAQMG,
for Chiefs of Section,
A.F.L.R.S.

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COPY TO:- C.A.O., A.F.H.Q.

HQ Allied Commission, Industry & Utilities Sub Commission.

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"Ministry of public works General Inspectorate to SME Naples. Output of 4th Galleto Machine deferred to 10th December. Water shortage central Italy springs still very serious only night supply forseen for southern Italy grid." Position southern Italy grid worsened by failure of Orichella 24 MVA machine. Output Galleto machine required daytime to supply balance.

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INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER

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called major Willcox dist. III and informed him that the Min. P.W., the Master Control in Rome and the Terni Company had been instructed by the U.S.C. Commission that the 4th Galleto unit up to 20,000 KW was to be reserved for southern Italy as soon as it and the transmission line to southern Italy are ready. These are now scheduled for 15 Dec. 45. Also have discussed the matter with A.F.L.R.(I) D. All of the above handled by telephone. Eng. Mastrazzo S.M.E. Naples also informed.

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SUBJECT IS CONSERVATION OF ELECTRIC POWER PD

PAREN TO HQ LOMBARDIA REGION FOR PWU DIVISION FOR COL PARKER

FROM Hq ALCOM CITE ACPWU PAREN

PARA ONE PD FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF MESSAGE RECEIVED TODAY FROM AFHQ FOR YOUR INFORMATION PD

PARA TWO PD QUOTE COORDINATED WITH GEORGE FIVE AFHQ AND QUEEN MAINT GEORGE HOW QUEEN PD CONVERSATION DAVY DASH PARKER AND DAVY DASH COOK REFERS PD LEGITIMATE DEMANDS FOR ELECTRIC POWER THROUGHOUT ITALY NOW GROSSLY EXCEED SUPPLY PD IT HAS BECOME NECESSARY TO INTRODUCE RATIONING SCHEME THROUGH IN ITALY TO REDUCE PEAK LOADS AND MAKE POWER AVAILABLE FOR CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN ITALY WHERE WAR DAMAGE MORE EXTENSIVE PD CHARLIE EASY THIRTEEN CORPS WILL OPERATE A RATIONING SCHEME COMPLEMENTARY TO THAT OF CHARLIE EASY DISTWO PD POWER FEEDER CUTS WILL AFFECT SUPPLIES TO TRIESTE AND VENEZIA GIULIA SERVED BY THE ADRIATICA COY PD COMPLETE LIAISON WILL BE MAINTAINED WITH ALCOM PETER WILLIAM UNCLE ELECTRICAL DIVISION THRU ALCOM REGIONAL ENGINEER MAJOR KNIGHT WHO WILL ASSIST IN

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LOMBARDIA REGION

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COORDINATING SCHEME PD YOUR REPRESENTATIVE TOGETHER WITH ALCOM REGIONAL ENGINEER SHOULD ATTEND NEXT MEETING OF JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE ABLE MIKE GEORGE THIRTEEN AND JOUGOSLAV COMMISSION EXPLAIN REASONS AND SEEK COOPERATION FROM YOUGOSLAVS PD DUE CONSIDERATION WILL BE GIVEN TO LEGITIMATE CIVILIAN INDUSTRIAL DEMANDS BUT FEEDER CUTS WILL BE MADE WHEN AND WHERE NECESSARY PD REPORTS WILL BE SUBMITTED TO ENGINEER BRANCH GEORGE HOW QUEEN COVERING ACTION TAKEN COPY TO ALCOM FOR ELECTRICAL DIVISION UNQUOTE

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

INTER OFFICE MEMO

30 November 1945

REFERENCE : ~~110/PWU~~

SUBJECT : Request for equipment by Ing. Mario Volpe

TO : Executive Commissioner, AC
(thru channels)

FROM : Public Works and Utilities Dept.

1. In checking over a list of individuals and firms submitted by the Ministry of Public Works dated 29 August 1944, the name of this same Ing. Mario Volpe is included as one who was connected with German Army operations or the TODT organization, i.e. fascist contractors. This is contrary to his statement.

2. On 29 September 1945 this contractor submitted a lenghty request for equipment and supplies, surplus from MMIA stocks and Army equipment. No action was taken on this as it was a request for a complete outfit. No other communications from him are available in these files.

3. It is suggested that this request be returned to the writer as being impractical to fulfill under the agreed Allied procedure.

E.J. RISTEDT,
Colonel, C.E.,

Copy to :

- Chief Commissioner
- Director Ind & U. S/C
- File 174

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INCOMING MESSAGE

Originator's Reference : C 42654
Date/Time of Origin: DEC 011050 A
FROM : AFHQ RE CHQ CMF

Message Centre No. G/4704
Date/Time Rec'd: DEC 011600
Precedence : PRIORITY

TO: CE 13 CORPS - INFO: CE DISTWO - HQ ALCOM PWU ELECT DIVISION - AMG 13 CORPS

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Conservation of electric power is subject. Coordinated with G-5 GHQ and Q (MAINT) GHQ. Conversation Davy-Parker and Davy-cook refers. Legitimate demands for electric power throughout Italy now grossly exceed supply. It has become necessary to introduce rationing scheme through in Italy to reduce peak loads and make power available for central and southern Italy where war damage more extensive. CE 13 Corps will operate a rationing scheme complementary to that of CE distwo. Power feeded cuts will affect the supplied to Trieste and Venezia Giulia served by the Adriatica Coy. Complete liaison will be maintained with Alcom PWU elect division thro AC regional engineer maj knight who will assist in coordinating scheme. Your representative together will AC Regional Engineer should attend next meeting of joit economic committee AMG 13 corps and Yugoslav Commission explain reasons and seek cooperation from Yugoslavs. Due consideration will be given to legittimate civilian industrial demands but feeder cuts will be made when and where necessary. Reports will be submitted to engineer branch GHQ covering action taken copy to Alcom for Electrical Division.

AC DIST: 71 refers

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INFO : CHIEF COMMISSIONER
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Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission

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214/PWU

3 Dec 1945

SUBJECT: Electricity Control - December Allocations.

TO : MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS
(Att: Prof. A. Asta.)

Enclosed herewith are two copies of minutes of meeting of Allied Force Electric Power Committee, held on 24 Nov 1945, together with power allocations for the month of December 1945, for your information.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Lt-Col. Inf.,
Chief, Elec. Div.

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By Command of Rear Admiral STONE:

for GEORGE F. ALLEN
Lt-Col. Inf.
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10 December 1945

SUBJECT : Allied Force Electric Power Committee

TO : Allied Force Local Resources Section,
A.F.H.Q. (R.A.A.C.),
APO 512, U.S. Army.

1. Reference para 5 and 6 your LRS/215L/10 dated 27 Nov 45.

2. I concur with the recommendations made by the Allied Force Electric Power Committee at its meeting held on the 24th November 1945.

3. The Allied Commission has been coordinating the activities on power allocations with the Central Commission of the Italian Government with the view of having this Commission be prepared to take over the functions and responsibilities of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee immediately upon authorization.

FOR Ellery W. Stone

ELLERY W. STONE,
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

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APO 394
Public Works and Utilities Department

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23 November 1945

SUBJECT : Agenda Allied Force Electric Power Committee meeting 24 Nov. 45

TO : Ministry of Public Works
att. Eng. Asta.

(54)

1. Ref. letter Chief Commissioner A.C. to the Prime Minister Italy dated 23 Nov. 45 file reference PWU/214, copy attached.

2. Attached, for your information is copy of Agenda for the 24 Nov. 45 meeting of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee meeting to which you and the chairman of the Central Commission Eng Visentini, have been extended on invitation to attend.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Lieut. Col. Inf.
Chief, Elec. Div.

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Agenda A.F.E.P. Comm. A.F.L.R.(I) B
dated 14 Nov.45 -Copy No.45
Copy letter Chief Comm. to the Prime Minister
dated 23 Nov. 45

Copy to:
Economic Section File ES/400

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REF. : ES/4.00

23 November 1945

SUBJECT : A.F.L.R. (Italian) B.

TO : Allied Force Local Resources Section
A.F.H.Q. (RAAC)
APO 512

1. Reference AFHQ letter CAO/205/8, dated 3 November 1945, and LRS/201/18 dated 6 November 1945.

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2. The proposals that the Allied Force Electric Power Committee and the Allied Force Labor and Wages Committee complete their business and disband by 30 November 1945, are concurred in.

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3. Reference is made to our letter reference ES/9.09 dated 26 October 1945 addressed to you and to letter reference PWU/214, copy attached, wherein arrangements have been made for the Italian Government to assume the responsibility for the control and rationing of Electric Power and for their representatives to meet with the Allied Force Electric Power Committee at its final meeting set for 24 November 1945. The Italian Government has been informed that it will take over the functions and responsibilities of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee subsequent to 30 November 1945.

L 44(a)

4. The Italian Government has been notified that all Allied Military power requirements will be given top priority and that Allied Military representatives will meet with its allocating authorities in an advisory capacity.

5. It is noted that the procedure for handling labor and wages matters after 30 November 1945 is under consideration by AFHQ. It is recommended that such procedure should provide

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for frequent and ready contact with the Italian Ministry of Labor and Social Security on labor and wages questions, so that the policy may continue to be observed by which due regard is paid to the prevailing practice on these questions in outside industry. A measure of decentralization is also recommended and since the disbandment of the Allied Force Labor and Wages Committee will apparently automatically disband its Local Sub-Committees, it is recommended that consideration be given to the establishment of adequate machinery for dealing with local issues on a decentralized basis.

6. In the event of alternative procedure being adopted by which the determination of wages and employment conditions is passed to representative local offices of the Italian Government, the necessity for decentralization into Local Sub-Committees would be considerably reduced.

7. With reference to paragraph 2 of your letter of 6 November, the proposal that there be no further meetings of the Allied Force Local Resources (Italian) Board is under consideration and will be the subject of further communication to you.

(s,d)

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Encl. 1
Copy of letter reference PWU/214

Copies to:
1 Chief Adm. Off. A.F.H.Q.
2 Econ. Sect.
1 Ind. & Util. S/C.
1 Labor S/C.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION
Office of the Chief Commissioner
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54(a)

Ref. PWU/214

23 November 1945

My dear Mr. Prime Minister :

The bulk allocations of Electric Power in Southern and Central Italy are now made by the "Allied Force Electric Power Committee". Consistent with the policy of turning over to Italian Control such functions, the Allied Authorities have asked that your Government be prepared to assume the responsibilities for the bulk allocation of power.

To that end the Allied Commission has been requested to extend to the chairman of the "Central Commission", established under Ministerial Decree Number 95 dated 5 April 1944, and to Professor Aste, Liaison Representative between the Ministry of Public Works and the Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission, Allied Commission, an invitation to attend the next meeting, of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee, as observers, with the view of the assumption, by your government, of the responsibilities and functions of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee, subsequent to 30 November 1945. This means that the allocations for January 1946, to be made in December 1945, would be an Italian Government responsibility.

The next meeting of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee will be held at 0930 hours on Saturday 24th November 1945 in the Allied Force Local Resources Section (AFHQ) conference room, 2nd floor, 68 Piazza dell'Esedra, Rome. The Agenda will be furnished you prior to the meeting. However, the principal order of business will be the accepting of bids for and making allocations of electric power in Central and Southern Italy, for December 1945.

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Your representatives should bring with them a statement of power available in Central and Southern Italy for the December 1945 allocations, also a statement showing the break down of bids on which October 1945 allocations were made.

The responsibilities and functions of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee will be assumed by the Italian Government with the understanding that all Allied Military requirements will be given top priority and met accordingly and that Allied Military representatives will meet with the Italian Central Commission in an advisory capacity.

It is suggested that the Decree Number 95, mentioned in paragraph 1, offers the necessary authority for the Central Commission established thereunder to assume the responsibility for the bulk alloantions of power.

It is considered that the above arrangements will provide for the necessary assumption of control of allocations by the Italian Government so that electric power may be used in a manner most advantageous to the civilian economy and that this is a logical development of the control of consumption of electric power, concerning which I addressed you in my letter ES/9.09 of 10 November (copy attached for ease of reference).

M. S. LUSH
Brig.
JELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR.
Chief Commissioner.

Prof. Ferruccio Parri
President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome.

Copy to: C.A.O., A.F.H.Q.
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(C O P Y)

Ref. ES/9.09

10 November 1945

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My dear Mr. Prime Minister :

In view of the limited supply of electricity in Italy and the fact that the demand for electric power has and will, for a considerable time to come, exceed the availability, it is and will be imperative that the Italian Government take jurisdiction and implement a civilian rationing program and exercise control over its use in order that sufficient power will be available for the remaining military and essential civilian needs.

In Central and Southern Italy where the supply of electricity is critical, the bulk allocations of electric power are made monthly by the Allied Force Electric Power Committee. In North Italy it has not been considered necessary to make such allocations since the supply of electricity is favourable as related to normal times. However, due to lack of coal for gas and other fuels in the North, the demand for electric power there has become abnormal and it is believed that a rationing program will be necessary during the coming winter.

In line with the policy of placing under Italian Government jurisdiction, functions and controls, which were formerly carried out by the Military, it is recommended that steps be taken as soon as possible to set up local authorities which will take over the control and use of electric power by civilians in all categories.

In South and Central Italy immediate action is necessary in order to conserve electricity.

The Ministerial Decree No 95 entitled "Norme per la Limitazione del Consume della Energia Elettrica" and dated 5 April 1944, provides the basic authority and procedure

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whereby the necessary organization can be formed and control exercised.

Very truly yours,

(Sgd)

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner.

Prof. Ferruccio Parri
President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome.

Copy to: AFLRS
P.W.U. S/C
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INCOMING MESSAGE

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 674
Date/Time of Origin: NOV. 251530A
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TO : INFO ALCOM ROME

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Reference my 651 dated 23/ Rationing scheme VEF 26 November now amended as follows. Period of cut off for 50 per cent of consumers will be 0730 to 1100 and 1230 to 1630 on Mondays Tuesdays Wednesdays. Remaining 50 per cent consumers same HRS Thursdays Fridays Saturdays. Power for steam production by civilians is prohibited. Civilian appeals against rationing will be dealt with by ISPETTORATO DEL LAVORO. All informed.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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Originator's Reference: C 39989
Date/Time of Origin: NOV 221339 A
Message Centre No: C/ 4111
Date Time Rec'd: NOV 230830 A
Precedence: PRIORITY

FROM: AFHQ FROM RE GRQHCMF

TO : CE 2 DIST. "Q" 2 DIST , INFO: ALCOM ELECTRICAL DIVISION 51

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Conservation of electric power is subject. Coordinated with "Q" maint GHQ and G 5 GHQ. If a shortage of electric power exists in any part of 2 district or if feeders are se= riously overloaded and the resulting situation compromises the proper working of military installations the C.E. will immediately introduce a scheme of cationing PN the area or areas concerned. Vide para 4 AG 675/047 (Q maint) o dated 17 July 45. Close liaison with alcom REP in area should be maintained. Due consideration will be given to legitimate civilian industrial demands but feeder cutw will be made when and where necessary. Reports will be submitted to engineer branch GHQ covering any such action taken copy.XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

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APO 394

P.W. 214
26 NOV 1945

Ref. 108/49

21, November 1945

Subject : Power Allocation

To : Comitato Consultivo per l'Energia
Elettrica - Via Bocaccio 11 - Milano -
(Att. Ing. Benedetto)

1. The allocation of electricity in Italy has so for been confined to Southern and Central Italy. It has now been found to be necessary to include Northern Italy in the overall allocation plan.

2. The Military Electric Power Committee in making allocations for the month of December has decreed that a demand of 60,000 KW and a maximum energy of 30,000,000 KWH will be made available to the Central Italy grid from Northern Italy through the Ligonchio transmission network. This is expected to be a daytime load and may have the total energy decreased by 5,000,000 KWH being returned to the North from Terni during night off-peak hours.

3. The above information will be brought to your attention officially by the Italian Ministry of Public Works.

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HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION

Originator's Reference: 661

Date/Time of Origin: NOV. 230184

Message Centre No: G/ 4199

Date Time Rec'd: NOV. 241000

Precedence: ROUTINE

FROM: CE DISTWO

TO : INFO ALCOM ROME

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Subject rationing of electricity throughout 2 dist. Wef 26 November 45 all power coys authorised by allied Commission to cut supplies daily from 0730 to 1200 or 1200 to 1630. Public services will NOT repeat NOT be affected. Civilian industrial consumers over 50 Kw demand will comply with decisions made by power coys regarding hrs of working incl Sundays. Important mil installations given high priority for 24 hrs supply. As previously notified close liaison must be maintained with power coys. all informed.

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REF. : PWU/214 November 1945

SUBJECT : A.F.L.R. (Italian) B.

TO : Allied Force Local Resources Section
A.F.H.Q. (RAAC)
APO 512

1. Reference AFHQ letter CAO/205/8, dated 3 November 1945, and LRS/201/18 dated 6 November 1945.

2. The proposal that the Allied Force Electric Power Committee complete its business and disband by 30 November 1945, is concurred in.

3. The proposal that the Allied Force Labor and Wages Committee complete its business and disband by 30 November 1945, is concurred in.

4. Reference is made to our letter ref. ES/9.09 dated 26 Oct. 45 addressed to you and to latter reference PWU/214, copy attached, wherein arrangements have been made with the Italian Government to establish the necessary "Central Commission" for the control and rationing of Electric Power and representatives of that Commission to meet with the Allied Forces Electric Power Committee at its final meeting set for 24 November 1945. The Central Commission has been informed that they will take over the functions and responsibilities of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee subsequent to 30 Nov. 1945.

5. The Italian Government has been notified that all Allied Military power requirements will be given top priority and that Allied Military representatives will meet the Commission in an advisory capacity.

ELLERY W. STONE
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

Copies to:

1 Chief Adm. Off. A.F.H.Q.
2 Econ. Sect.
1 Ind. & Util. S/C.
1 Labour S/C.

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REF. PWD/214

November 1945

My dear Mr. Prime Minister :

1. The bulk allocations of Electric Power in Soutern and Central Italy are now made by the Allied Force Electric Power Committee. Consistant with the policy of turning over to Italian Control such responsibilities, the committee has asked that your Government establish an "Electric Power Allocation Commission" and that representatives of that Commission be present at the committee's next meeting, as observers, but with a view of taking over the responsibilities of Jan 1946 allocations to be made in Dec. 1945.

2. The next meeting of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee will be held at 0930 hours on Saturday 24th November 45 in the A.F.L.R.S. (AFHQ) conference room, 2nd floor, 68 Piazza dell'Esedra, Rome. The agenda will be furnished you prior to the meeting. However, the principle order of business will be the accepting of bids for and making allocation of electric power in Central and Southern Italy, for December 1945.

3. The responsibilities and functions of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee will be turned over to the Italian Government with the understanding that all Allied Military requirements will be given top priority and met accordingly and that allied military representatives will meet with the Italian Power Commission in an advisory capacity.

4. It is recommended that the Italian Govt. representatives attending the 24 Nov meeting be restricted to the chairman of the Commission for the rationing and control of electric power which was authorized under Ministerial Decree number 95 dated 5 April 44 and Prof. Astr liaison representative between Min. Public Wks. and Industry and Utilities Sub-Commission, A.C. These representatives should bring with them a statement of power available in Central and Southern Italy for the December allocation, also a statement showing the break down of loads on which October allocations were made.

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5. The above arrangements will place the Control of electric power in the hands of the Italian Government to be used in a manner most advantageous to the civilian economy and will facilitate carrying out the recommendations set forth in letter file ref. EC/909 dated 10 November from this office.

Very truly yours,

ELLERY W. STONE,
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner.

Prof. Ferruccio Parri
President of the Council of Ministers
Italian Government
Rome.

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8 November 1945

SUBJECT : Electricity Demands Central Italy - Military Railway Service.

TO : Director, Military Railway Service.

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Reference your Tn.A.3.(E)/15 dated 6 NOV 45.

1. This Section has approached HQ Allied Commission on the proposed transfer of 2000 KW to Rome from the present allocation to Military Railway Service in Central Italy and concurs in the proposition.

S.J.B. LOUIEN, Major, DAQMG,
Acting Chief of Section (Br),
A.F.L.R.S.

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C.E., HQ, No 3 District.

Electrical Section, Rome Area Allied Command
(attention Lieut. Morrison).

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A.F.H.Q.

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TEL : 66275 ROME

LRS/201/18

6 November 1945

SUBJECT : A.F.L.R. (Italian) Board.

TO : Chief Commissioner, HQ, Allied Commission.

Reference AFHQ letter CAO/205/8 dated 3 NOV 1945.

1. Concurrences on the majority of the points raised have already been obtained from you, it is requested, however, that your concurrence or otherwise be given to the following proposals which have emenated from AFHQ and are included in the above quoted letter:

(a) that the Allied Force Labour & Weges Committee will complete its business and disband by 30 NOV 45;

(b) that the Allied Force Electric Power Committee will complete its business and disband by 30 NOV 45.

2. It is opinion of the CAO, AFHQ that there is no need for any further meetings of the A.F.L.R. (Italian) Board and, subject to your concurrence, all members will be notified by this Section of the dissolution of the Board.

THOMAS R. GIBBON, Colonel, AUS,
Chief of Section (US)
A.F.L.R.S.

S.J.B. LOUDEN, Major, DAQMG,
Acting Chief of Section (Br)
A.F.L.R.S.

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Subject:- Electricity Demands Central Italy.
Military Railway Service.

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Military Railway Service
C.M.F.
Tele: Firebox 9377
Tn.A.3.(E)/15.
6th November 1945.

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To:- A.F.L.R.S.,
R.A.A.C.

Copy to:- HQ., Alcom. Public Works & Utilities Sub-Commission.
C.E., 3 District.
Electric Section, (Attention Lt. Morrison)
R.A.A.C.

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1. Reference your LRS/215 B/257/(para 2) dated 30th October 1945 and our Tn.A.3.(E)/15 dated 23rd October 1945.

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2. At a meeting held in R.A.A.C. Electrical Sections office the question of supplying power to the undermentioned substations for energising the Rome - Casoli section of the Italian State Railways was discussed with R.A.A.C. Electrical Engineer and the Supply Companies representatives.

(a) MAGLIANA substation supplied by Societa Romana di Elettricita.

(b) CASTELMADAMA substation supplied by Azienda Comunale Elettricita.

3. The supply companies engineers pointed out that as the power for operating the railway would show up on the R.A.A.C. allocation of 75 X 10^3 K.Ws it was suggested that the power requested by the railways i.e. 2,000 K.Ws should be added to the R.A.A.C. allocation and the M.R.S. existing allocation reduced to 8 x 10^3 K.W. The allocation would thus read:-

R.A.A.C.	0600 hrs Morning Peak K.W. x 10^3	to 2200 hrs Evening Peak K.W. x 10^3	Permissible Energy K.W.H. x 10^3
Rome	67.00	77.00	37.8

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C.E., 3 District.

Electric Section, (Attention Lt. Morrison)
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Rome	67.00	77.00	37.8
M.R.S. Railways	8.00	8.00	5.5.

4. The present peak demand of the railways does not exceed 6 K.W. x 10^3 consequently the M.R.S. demands will be within the new allocation.

E. B. Lyon
S/Capt. R.E.,
for Brigadier,
Director, Military Railway Service.

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Subject:- Electricity Demands, Southern Italy.
Military Railway Service.

Military Railway Service,
C.M.F.
Tel: Firebox 9377

Tn.A.3.(E)/15.

6 Nov. 45.

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To:- A.F.L.R.S., R.A.A.C.

Copy to:- D. of W., A.F.H.Q.

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H.Q., Southern District P.B.S., A.P.O. 782.

C.R., 3 District.

Servizio Lavori e Construzioni, H.Q., Italian State Railways.

1. Reference your LRS/215 B/257 (para 3) dated 30th October 1945 and further to my Tn.A.3(E)/15 dated 19th October 1945.

2. Herewith renewed application for additional allotment of electrical power for re-energisation of the Ville Literno section of the Rome - Napoli line. The estimated power consumption is:-

Maximum 15 minute peak 2,000 K.Wa.

K.W.Hs consumption per month 380,000

3. At the recent meeting of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee held on 27th October 1945 it was agreed to hold this increase in abeyance pending repairs to mobile substations.

4. Repairs to this substation are now complete and it should be installed at Ville Literno by 14 Nov.45.

5. Could supply be made available from this date.

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E. G. Lyon
S/Capt., R.E.
for Brigadier,
Director, Military Railway Service.

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1 Nov 1945

SUBJECT: Electricity Control - November allocations.

TO : MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS
(Att: Prof. A. Asta)

Enclosed herewith are two copies of minutes of meeting of Allied Force Electric Power Committee, held on 27 Oct 1945, together with power allocations for the month of November 1945, for your information.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Lt-Colonel, Inf.,
Chief, Elec. Div.

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214/PWU

1 Nov 1945

SUBJECT: Electricity Control - November allocations.

TO : REGIONAL COMMISSIONER LIGURIA REGION
(Att: Reg. Engineer) PIEMONTE REGION
LOMBARDIA REGION
VENEZIA REGION.

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GEORGE F. PARKER,
Lt-Col. Inf.,
Chief, Elec. Div.

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1 Nov 45

SUBJECT: Electricity Control - November allocations

TO : COMMISSIONER NAPLES COMMUNE
COMMISSIONER LEGHORN ZONE.

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AFHQ

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LRS/2151/6

30 October 1945

SUBJECT: Allied Force Electric Power Committee.

TO : HQ Allied Commission.

1. At the meeting of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee held on 27 October 1945, it was agreed that HQ AICOM should invite the appropriate Ministry of the Italian Government to be prepared to set up a similar body to the Allied Force Electric Power Committee to provide a national control of the use of electric power. Such a body to be prepared to take over the allocation of power throughout Italy from January 1945, it being however understood that military advisors would meet with the Committee and that military requirements of power must receive first priority.

2. It was further decided to invite Italian Ministry representatives to the next meeting of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee so that they might study the method of operation of the Committee.

3. Would you therefore please approach the Italian Government on the lines indicated in para. 1 above in order that their proposals can be considered at the next meeting of the Allied Force Electric Power Committee due to be held on 24 November 1945.

THOMAS R. GIBBON, Col., AUS,
Chief of Section (US),
A.F.L.R.S.

S.J.B. LOUDEN, Major, DAQMG,
Acting Chief of Section (Br),
A.F.L.R.S.

Copy to: Hq Allied Commission, Public Works & Utilities Sub-Commission

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30 October 1945.

SUBJECT : Electricity Demands.

TO : Military Railway Service, CMF.

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1. Reference your Tn.A.3.(E)/15 dated 23 OCT 45 and Tn.A.3(E)/15 dated 19 OCT 45.

2. No increased allocation of power was made to you at the Allied Force Electric Power Committee meeting on 27 OCT 45 in respect of Central Italy. as your present peak demand against the 10 KW x 10^3 at present allocated does not exceed 6 KW x 10^3. Your increased requirement of 3.6 KW x 10^3 can consequently be satisfied within your present allocation.

3. Your representative informed the meeting that the increased allocation for the Villa Literno section of the Rome - Naples line would not be required until the work on the electrification of the line was completed. This was estimated to occur towards the end of November. Would you please notify this Section of the date on which this increased allocation is required when every effort will be made to supply the power required in spite of the present difficult situation on power availability in Southern Italy.

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S.J.B. LOUDEN, Major, DAQMG,
Acting Chief of Section (Rr),
A.F.L.R.S.

SJBL/gs.

COPIES TO: D.W., GHQ, CMF.
HQ ALCOM Public Works & Utilities Sub-Commission
HQ FBS (South), APO 762 (Tn.A.3(E)/15 of 23 OCT not sent to you)
CE, HQ No 3 District.

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INTER OFFICE MEMO

26 Oct 1945.

REFERENCE: 214/PWU
SUBJECT : A.C. Representative
Allied Force Electric Power Committee.
TO : Industry S/C., A.C.
(Att: Maj. Fewings.)
FROM : P. W. & U. S/C.

1. The Electric Power Committee, (E.P.C.), of the A.F.I.R. (I) B. has been dissolved and a new committee known as Allied Force Electric Power Committee has been formed, to take over the duties and functions of E.P.C.

2. The membership on the new committee is the same as on the old (E.P.C.). A.C. representation has, in the past, been vested in Industry Sub-Commission, A.C.

3. The first meeting of the new committee will be held at 09:30 hours on 27th Oct 1945 in the AFIRS Conference Room, 2nd Floor, 68 Piazza dell'Esedra, Rome. At this meeting the power allocations for Italy, for the month of November 1945, will be considered and made.

4. The following data is furnished for guidance and information :-

a. Unless rains arrive quickly, the amount of electricity available for both the Central Italy Grid and the Florence-Valdarno area will be much less than the October allocation.

b. Specifically the quantities now foreseen available for November allocation are :

		Minimum		Maximum	
		KW	KWH/Mo	KW	KWH/Mo
Central Italy Grid	Until 15 Nov.	141,000		157,000	
	After 15 Nov.	169,000	84,000,000	178,000	96,700,000
Florence-Valdarno		85,000	28,000,000	86,500	28,800,000

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c. 20,000 KW additional from Callete about 15 Nov. will be the only appreciable firm increase in the Central Italy generating capacity.

d. The figures shown under (b) contrast with October allocations of 161,200 KW, and 88,850,000 KWH. for Central Italy Grid, and 79,500 KW and 40,900,000 KWH for Florence-Valdarno Grid.

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Lt-Col. Inf.,
Chief, Elec. Div.

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Postal Address :
AFLRS, Rome Area Allied Command - CMF.

Telephone : ROME 66275

30 October 1945

SUBJECT : Electric Power Situation - Southern Italy.

TO : HQ. Allied Commission.

1. Ref. your ES/9.09 dated 26 Oct 45.

2. The CAO, AFHQ, considered the recommendation made by the Electric Power Committee at its meeting held on 21 July 45 (Minute No. 79 refers) and was of the opinion that the existing AFHQ instructions restricting the use of electricity, which have been circulated to all military commanders render the publication of further instructions, by AFHQ, unnecessary.

3. It is agreed that the Allied Commission should officially submit the matter of the conservation of electricity to the Italian Government in order that they may take such action as they deem necessary to restrict civilian consumption.

/s/ John S. Whittaker for
/t/ THOMAS R. GIBBON, Col. AUS,
Chief of Section (US)
A.F.L.R.S.

/s/ S.J.B. LOUDEN, Major, DAQMG,
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31. October 1945

SUBJECT : Conservation of Electric Power

TO : Allied Force Local Resources Section
A.F.H.Q. (MAAC)
APO 512

1. Reference para 2 your AFF/2150 dated 30 September 1945. It is submitted that letter AG/675/047/MAINF - O, AFHQ, 17 July 1945, Subject - Conservation of Electric Power, constitutes instructions with respect to restricting the use of electricity in Southern Italy. It is suggested that this letter makes it unnecessary for further instructions to be issued by AFHQ. It is further suggested that AFHQ letter of 17 July be called to the attention of all military commanders.

2. The Commission has informally brought this matter to the attention of the Italian Government and have informed them of the situation regarding the shortage of electric power in Southern Italy and asked them to take such action as they feel is necessary to restrict civilian consumption. If it is agreed that no further instructions are required from AFHQ, the Commission proposes to submit the matter of conservation of electricity to the Italian Government officially.

M. S. LUSH

Brigadier
M. S. LUSH
Rear Admiral, USNR
Chief Commissioner

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Subject;- Electricity Demands
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Military Railway Service
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Tele: Firebox 9377
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23rd October 1945.

TO:- A.F.L.R.S.,
R.A.A.C.

Copy to:- D. of W.,
A.F.H.Q.
HQ., ALCOM.
Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission.
C.E.,
3 District.

1. Herewith application for increased allotment of Electrical Power for month of November 1945.

2. This increase is required for energisation of the Rome - Carsoli section of the Italian State Railways.

3. The section in question will be energised by two rectifier substations:

(a) MAGLIANA substation supplied by the Societa Romana di Elettricita.

(b) CASTELMADAMA substation supplied by the Azienda Comunale Elettricita Acque.

4. The estimated power consumption is:

	Monthly Consumption KWH x 10^6	Average Power (KW)	Maximum 15 min Peak Demand (KW)
MAGLIANA	0.12	800	1,500
CASTELMADAMA	0.24	1,200	2,100

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TOTAL	0.36	2,000	[illegible]

5. The energy is required during the period 0600 hrs to 2200 hrs.

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E.C. Lyon Lt. R.E.
for Brigadier,
Director, Military Railway Service.

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MILITARY RAILWAY SERVICE ITALY
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR (DMRSI)

Th.A.3(E)/15.

Subject:- Electricity - MRS Demands Southern Italy. CALABRIA 60 K.V. system. 29 Oct. 1945.

To:- A.F.I.R.S., R.A.A.C.

Copy to:- D. of R., A.F.H.Q.
H.Q., Allied Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission.
H.Q., SOUTHERN District, P.B.S., A.P.O. 782.
C.R.E. 5 District.

1. Further to my Th.A.3(E)/15 dated 24 Sept. 1945.

2. Herewith renewed application for additional allotment of electric power for re-energisation of the VILLA LITERNO section of the ROME - NAPLES line. At the last Electric Power Committee Meeting it was agreed to hold this matter in abeyance pending repairs to the mobile substation required for energising this section of railway.

The estimated power consumption is:-

Maximum 15 minute peak 2,000 K.W.
K.W.H. consumption per month 360,000.

Power at 60 KV to be supplied from switch cabin at VILLA LITERNO which is fed from the Societa Meridionale di Elettricita (S.M.E.) NAPLES.

Lieut., R.E.
for Brigadier,
Director, Military Railway Service.

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IV Sezione del Consiglio Superiore

UFFICIO MOBILITAZIONE ENERGIA ELETTRICA

COMMISSIONE CENTRALE PER LA DISCIPLINA DEL CONSUMO DELL'ENERGIA ELETTRICA----

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Alla Commissione Alleata----
Sottocommissione Industria
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e per conoscenza:
Sottocommissione Lavori e
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OGGETTO: Richiesta assegnazione energia elettrica nei territori del Governo Italiano-

Questa Commissione Centrale, nella riunione del 3 corr., ha espresso parere favorevole all'accoglimento delle seguenti richieste di fornitura di energia elettrica in considerazione dell'importanza e delle necessità in qui si trovano le industrie cui le richieste stesse si riferiscono:

1°) - Società An.Zuccherificio di Avezzano (L'Aquila) potenza Kw.400 necessari allo stabilimento durante il periodo 1° ottobre 31 dicembre 1945;

2°) - Soc.per le Ferrovie e Tramvie del Mezzogiorno potenza Kw. 400 per ripristino della Ferrovia Garganica "S.Severo - Rodi-Peschici, (Foggia);

3°) - Soc.Esercizi telefonici "Set„ di Napoli - potenza Kw. 40 per parziale ripristino della

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centrale telefonica "Borsa";

4°) - Cantiere Navale Coppola Michele - Baia (Napoli) potenza Kw.22;

5°) - Cantiere Navale Palomba Ciro di Torre del Greco (Napoli) aumento della potenza da Kw.6 a Kw.19;

6°) - Istituto Farmaceutico "Santar" - Rampe Pizzofalcone 30 (Napoli) potenza Kw.15;

7°) - Società Italcementi - Cementeria di Monopoli (Bari) - Aumento da Kw. 800 a Kw. 1100 nelle ore notturne.

Tanto si comunica per i provvedimenti di competenza di codesta On.le Commissione.

IL PRESIDENTE
(Marco Vicentini)

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MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS
Central Committee for Discipline of
Electric Power Distribution

Reference : 2109 12 Oct 45

To : Allied Commission,
Industry Sub-Commission

Subject : Request for allocation of electric power in Italian Government territory.-

This Central Committee, in its meeting held Oct 3rd, has approved the following applications for electric power supplies, considering the importance and requirements of the industries concerned :

a) - Società An. Zuccherificio di Avezzano (l'Aquila) 400 KW required by the plant during the period from Oct 1st to Dec 31st; 1945.

b) - Società per le Ferrovie e Tramvie del Mezzogiorno 400 KW required for rehabilitation of Garganica Railway (S.Severo - Rodi - Peschici (Foggia)

c)- Società Esercizi Telefonici "SET" at Naples 40 KW for partial restoration of "Borsa" phone switchboard.

d) - Coppola Michele Shipyard at Baia (Naples), 22 KW.

e) - Palomba Ciro Shipyard at Torre del Greco (Naples) Increase of power from 6 to 19 KW.

f) - "Santar" pharmacist workshop - Rampe Pizzofalcone 30 (Naples) 15 KW.

g) - Italcementi Co. - Cement Works at Monopoli (Bari) - Increase of power from 800 to 1100 KW during the night hours.

The foregoing is brougnt to your knowledge for your appropriate action. 5577

/s/ Marco Visentini
President.

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To : COMMISSIONER NAPLES COMMUNE
COMMISSIONER LEGHORN ZONE

Enclosed herewith for information is copy of power allocation for the month of October 1945.

By Commend of Rear Admiral STONE,

GEORGE F. PARKER
Lt-Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Elec. Div.

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To : ADVANCED SECTION ELECTRICAL DIVISION
P.W. & U. Sub-Commission (Att. Maj. Berry)
in care of AMG Florence Province - Tel. 1153 Florence

Enclosed herewith for information is copy of power allocation for the month of October 1945.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE,

GEORGE F. PARKER
Lt-Colonel, Inf.
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To : REGIONAL COMMISSIONER LIGURIA REGION
(Att.Reg. Engineer) PIEMONTE REGION
LOMBARDIA REGION
VENEZIA REGION

Enclosed herewith for information is copy of power allocation for the month of October 1945.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE,

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To : MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS
(Att. Eng. A. Asta)

Enclosed herewith for information are two copies of power allocation for the month of October 1945.

GEORGE F. PARKER
Lieut-Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Elec. Div.

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8 October 1945

Subject : Electricity Allocation
Central Italy - October 1945

To : CHIEF ENG. N° 3 DISTRICT - C.M.F.

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1. Reference your letter 2 October / file CE 6004/2/1.

2. This Sub-Commission is now furnishing the allocations of power in Central and Southern Italy to the Ministry of Public Works of the Italian Government who in turn notifies the civilian agencies who deal with electric power.

A.C.3. In view of the above and since Umbria-Marche Region has ceased to exsist it is the opinion of this Sub-Commission that your monthly notifications of allocations can be discontinued.

For the Chief Commissioner,

GEORGE F. PARKER
Lt-Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Elec. Div.

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Subject :- Electricity Allocation - Central ITALY Oct '45.

Chief Engineer,
3 District CMF,
BASEBALL 84.
CE 6004/2/1.

2 Oct '45.

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Regional Engineer Umbria Marche Region AC.

18 CRE Wks.
104 CRE Wks.

1. The allocation of electric power for the month of Oct '45 to the Area of Central ITALY under 3 District control is shown on attached allocation chart.

2. As no margin of power has been received, any essential military load which may require connection during the month will necessitate surrendering part of the balance now handed over for civil requirements.

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(H.A.WILLIAMS),
Major R.E.,
for Brigadier,
Chief Engineer.

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Encl: as stated.

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ATION OF ELECTRIC POWER FOR THE MONTH OF
OCTOBER 1945
CENTRAL ITALY → GRID

AREA SERVED	Responsibility of	0600 - 2200 hrs KW x 10^3 Allocated for Sept	0600 - 2200 hrs KW x 10^3 Allocated for Oct	2200 - 0600 hrs KWH x 10^3 Allocated for Sept	2200 - 0600 hrs KWH x 10^3 Allocated for Oct	2200 - 0600 hrs KW x 10^3 Allocated for Sept	2200 - 0600 hrs KW x 10^3 Allocated for Oct	0600 hrs Allo Sep
TERNI	3 District	19.00	19.00	7.30	7.30	17.00	17.00	3.
TERNI Carbide	"	-	-	-	-	10.00	10.00	2.
TERNI (Nero Montero Plant)	"	15.00	15.00	5.90	5.90	15.00	15.00	3.
PERUGIA & FOLIGNO	"	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	4.40	4.00	0.
SPOLETO	"	3.50	3.50	1.40	1.40	3.00	3.00	0.
ANCONA & Adriatic coast to north excl of FANO	"	6.60	6.60	2.50	2.50	4.10	4.10	0.
AREZZO & District	"	4.50	4.50	1.80	1.80	3.20	3.40	0.
ORVIETO & District	"	2.00	2.00	0.80	0.80	1.50	1.50	0.
Adriatic south to PESCARA	"	1.50	1.50	0.60	0.60	1.50	1.50	0.
FORSINONE	"	3.00	3.00	1.20	1.20	1.50	1.50	0.
RIETI	"	1.50	1.50	0.70	0.70	1.25	1.25	0.
VITERBO	"	1.50	1.50	0.70	0.70	1.25	1.25	0.
ROME(District)	"	1.50	1.50	0.70	0.70	1.00	1.00	0.
AQUILA	"	1.50	1.50	0.70	0.70	1.00	1.00	0.
CIVITAVECCHIA	P.B.S.	7.00	7.00	2.70	2.70	5.00	5.00	1.
PIOMBINO	"	2.50	3.00	1.00	1.20	1.50	1.50	0.
GROSSETO	"	4.00	4.00	1.50	1.50	2.00	2.00	0.
LARDARELLO	"	1.00	2.00	0.35	0.80	1.00	1.00	0.
SIENA	"	2.00	3.00	0.80	1.20	1.50	1.50	0.
ROME	R.T.A.C.	80.00	80.00	31.70	31.70	45.00	45.00	9.
Railways	M.R.S.	10.00	10.00	4.00	4.00	10.00	10.00	2.
RIMINI & Adriatic coast to south incl of FANO	2 District	2.60	2.60	1.00	1.00	2.60	2.60	0.
	TOTAL	175.20	177.70	69.35	70.40	134.30	133.90	26.

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OCTOBER 1945

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	Sept	Oct	Sept	Oct	Sept	Oct	Sept	Oct
	19.00	19.00	7.30	7.30	17.00	17.00	3.20	3.20
	10.00	10.00	2.00	2.00	10.00	10.00	2.00	2.00
	15.00	15.00	5.90	5.90	15.00	15.00	3.00	3.00
	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	4.40	4.00	0.80	0.80
	3.50	3.50	1.40	1.40	3.00	3.00	0.60	0.60
	6.60	6.60	2.50	2.50	4.10	4.10	0.80	0.80
	4.50	4.50	1.80	1.80	3.20	3.40	0.60	0.60
	2.00	2.00	0.80	0.80	1.50	1.50	0.30	0.30
	1.50	1.50	0.60	0.60	1.50	1.50	0.30	0.30
	3.00	3.00	1.20	1.20	1.50	1.50	0.35	0.35
	1.50	1.50	0.70	0.70	1.85	1.25	0.30	0.30
	1.50	1.50	0.70	0.70	1.25	1.25	0.30	0.30
	1.50	1.50	0.70	0.70	1.00	1.00	0.25	0.25
	1.50	1.50	0.70	0.70	1.00	1.00	0.25	0.25
	7.00	7.00	2.70	2.70	5.00	5.00	1.00	1.00
	2.50	3.00	1.00	1.20	1.50	1.50	0.35	0.35
	4.00	4.00	1.50	1.50	2.00	2.00	0.40	0.40
	1.00	2.00	0.35	0.80	1.00	1.00	0.20	0.20
	2.00	3.00	0.80	1.20	1.50	1.50	0.35	0.35
C.	80.00	80.00	31.70	31.70	45.00	45.00	9.00	9.00
	10.00	10.00	4.00	4.00	10.00	10.00	2.00	2.00
ct	2.60	2.60	1.00	1.00	2.60	2.60	0.50	0.50
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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
AFHQ

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LRS/2150 30 September 1945

SUBJECT : Electric Power Situation - Souther Itely.

TO : C.A.O. A.F.H.Q.
Chief Commissioner, Allied Commission.

1. The electric power situation in Southern Italy as envisaged by the Electric Power Committee at its meeting held on 21 July 1945 (Committee meeting Minute No.79 refers) has now developed and unless considerable increase in rainfall takes place the supply of water in the SILA reservoir will be exhausted at the beginning of November.

2. In view of the above, the Electric Power Committee at its meeting held 29 September 1945 strongly recommends to the AFLR (Italian) Board that an order be issued by AFHQ restricting the use of electricity in Southern Italy, and enforcing the strictest economy with a view to conserving as long as possible such small supplies of water in the SILA reservoir as remain.

3. The AFLR (Italian) Board being adjourned sine die the above recommendation is passed for consideration and interin action by the Joint Chairman of the Board.

THOMAS R. GIBBON, Col., AUS,
Chief of Section (US),
A.F.L.R.S.

E.K. MICHAELSON, Lt.Col., AQMG,
Chief of Section (Br)m (AOD),
A.F.L.R.S.

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29 September 1945

Subject : Electricity Situation, Central and Southern Italy, October 1945

To : Secretary Electric Power Committee
A.F.L.R. (I) B.

1. Regarding power availability in Southern and Central Italy the following information is submitted :

SOUTHERN ITALY

No appreciable increase in available electricity from hydro. sources is contemplated in Southern Italy for October. Neither has the fuel oil supply for the thermal plants in the Naples area been restored to the previous allocations.

CENTRAL ITALY

There has been a slight improvement in electricity supply in Central Italy due to increased rainfall to the extent of approximately 2500 KW.

2. In view of the above it is recommended that no increased allocations be made in Southern Italy and that allocations for Central Italy not exceed 2500 KW for the month of October.

3. The TERNI-PESCARA- 150,000 Volt electric transmission interconnecting Central and Southern Italy is now scheduled for completion by the later part of October.

For the Chief Commissioner,

GEORGE F. PARKER
Lt-Colonel, Inf.
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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR (DMRSI)

Subject : Electricity - MRS Demands Southern Italy.

Tn.A.3(E)/15.

To : A.F.L.R.S., R.A.A.C. 24 Sept. 1945.

Copy to : D. of W., A.F.H.Q.

H.Q., ALCOM Public Works and Utilities Sub Commission.

H.Q., Southern District, P.B.S., A.P.O. 782.

C.E., 3 District.

1. Reference your letter LRS/215B/217 dated 9 Sept. 1945.

2. Herewith application for allotment of electric power for month of October.

(a) Re-energisation of VILLA LITERNO - AVERSA Section of the ROME - NAPLES Line.

Maximum 15 minutes peak 2,000 KWs.

KWHs consumption per month 360,000

Power at 60 KV be supplied from switching and transformer cabin at VILLA LITERNO which in turn is fed from the Società Meridionale di Elettricita (SME) NAPLES.

(b) Increased Allocation for SALERNO - REGGIO CALABRIA Line.

Maximum 15 minutes peak increased from 3,000 KWs to 5,000 KWs.

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KWHs consumption per month as before 1.7×10^6.

Re-electrification of railways all over Italy is of the utmost importance at present, in order that the extremely difficult coal and oil fuel situations may be ameliorated and consumption still further curtailed.

Colonel,
D.D.Tn.(Mech),
for Brigadier,
Director Military Railway Service.

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18 Sept 45

Subject: Electricity Requirements, Southern Italy.

To : A.F.L.R.S.

1. During the early days of September 1945, a study was made of the general electricity situation in Southern Italy, to determine particularly, the following points :

a. The electricity requirements of Southern Italy, until April 1946.

b. The quantities of electricity available to Southern Italy during the same period.

c. The fuel oil requirements of the Naples thermal stations.

2. The study resulted in the following conclusions:

a. The estimated monthly requirements which can be met at the generating stations are as follows :

Month	Millions of Kilowatt-Hours
Sept	84
Oct	89
Nov	92
Dec	98
Jan	98
Feb	88
Mar	90
Apr	86

b. The requirements of Southern Italy, excluding the electrochemical industry, if electricity were available in unlimited quantities would be about 12 percent greater than the above figures.

c. Of these quantities, the hydroplants in Southern Italy will furnish about 90 percent; until the completion of the Terni-Naples transmission line,

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the Naples thermal plants should furnish 10%.

d. Two transmission lines connecting Central and Southern Italy are being repaired.

(1) Terni-Pescara-Archi-Foggia, ready for service 31 October.

(2) Pescara-Archi-Naples, ready for service 31 December.

e. The Terni-Pescara-Archi-Foggia line may be used to pass 20,000 KW to Southern Italy. This power will not relieve the fuel oil situation in Naples, but will permit a quantity of about 12,000 KW and 6 million Kilowatt-hours per month to be diverted for other uses.

f. The Pescara-Archi-Naples line can be used to relieve the fuel oil situation in Naples.

g. The Naples thermal plants are particularly important to the Naples area. Although they furnish only 10 percent of the energy to the South Italy system, they furnish 17 percent to the Naples area, which can not be furnished any other way.

h. The quantities of fuel oil needed at the Naples thermal plants in order that the figures in point "a" may be met, together with the quantities expected are :

Month	Oil needed-Tons	Oil Promised-Tons	Curtailment in Naples Area if oil not received	
			Millions of Kilowatt-Hours	Percent
Capuano Steam Plant				
Sept	3000	2359	1,25	3,2
Oct	3400	2359	2,25	5,6
Nov	4400	-	-	-
Dec	5800	-	-	-
Volturno Plant				
Sept	400	261	0,35	0,9
Oct	400	261	0,35	0,9
Nov - Dec	400	-		

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3. Both military authorities and the Commissioner of the Naples Commune AMG have asked that the quantities of oil necessary for full operation of the Naples Thermal Stations be furnished. The Electrical Division of the Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission joins in this recommendation.

For the Chief Commissioner :

GEORGE F. PARKER,
Lt-Col. Inf.,
Chief, Elec. Div.

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IV Sezione ex del Consiglio Superiore

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COMMISSIONE CENTRALE PER IL CONTROLLO SULLA DISTRIBUZIONE DELLA ENERGIA ELETTRICA----------

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Alla COMMISSIONE ALLEATA ------ Vs. ----------
SOTTOCOMMISSIONE INDUSTRIA-

e per conoscenza: Ns. 1534 ROMA 17-9-1945

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OGGETTO: Richieste di assegnazione di energia nel territorio del Governo Italiano----------

Questa Commissione Centrale, nella riunione del 5 corrente, ha espresso parere favorevole all'accoglimento delle seguenti richieste di fornitura di energia elettrica in considerazione della importanza e delle necessità in cui si trovano le industrie cui le richieste stesse si riferiscono:

1) SOCIETA(CARTIERA DI CEPRANO "ARATA & VISCOCHI„ (FROSINONE) - potenza Kw 1450 necessari all'azionamento di macchinari (impianto cellulosa, impianto lavorazione carta, lavorazione pioppo, ecc.).

2) SOCIETA' FERROVIE ELETTRICHE ABRUZZESI (PESCARA) - potenza Kw 150 per ripristino servizio ferroviario sul tronco Pineta di Pescara-Pescara-Moscufo -

3) La Commissione scrivente fa presente inoltre che in considerazione del fatto che la campagna vinicola di quest'anno è stata anticipata ha autorizzato telegraficamente in data 27 agosto c.a. la Commissione Provinciale di Brindisi ad assegnare la fornitura di energia elettrica di HP 3800 nel periodo 20 agosto - 20 ottobre c.a. necessaria agli stabilimenti vinicoli della provincia subordinatamente ad accordi da prendersi con la Soc.Generale Publique

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OGGETTO: Richieste di assegnazione di energia nel territorio del Governo Italiano----------

Questa Commissione Centrale, nella riunione del 5 corrente, ha espresso parere favorevole all'accoglimento delle seguenti richieste di fornitura di energia elettrica in considerazione della importanza e delle necessità in cui si trovano le industrie cui le richieste stesse si riferiscono:

1) SOCIETA(CARTIERA DI CEPRANO "ARATA & VISOCCHI„ (FROSINONE) - potenza Kw 1450 necessari all'azionamento di macchinari (impianto cellulosa, impianto lavorazione carta, lavorazione pioppo, ecc.).

2) SOCIETA' FERROVIE ELETTRICHE ABRUZZESI (PESCARA) - potenza Kw 150 per ripristino servizio ferroviario sul tronco Pineta di Pescara-Pescara-Moscufo -

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3) La Commissione scrivente fa presente inoltre che in considerazione del fatto che la campagna vinicola di quest'anno è stata anticipata ha autorizzato telegraficamente in data 27 agosto c.a. la Commissione Provinciale di Brindisi ad assegnare la fornitura di energia elettrica di HP 3500 nel periodo 20 agosto - 20 ottobre c.a. necessaria agli stabilimenti vinicoli della provincia subordinatamente ad accordi da prendersi con la Soc.Generale Pugliese di Elettricità anche per sottoporre tali utenze a condizioni di orario e di potenza allo scopo di ridurre al minimo l'onere derivante per le altre utenze -

IL PRESIDENTE

M. Visentini

translation attached

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TRANSLATION By C.Tatti/ct

MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS
Central Commission for Control on Electricity Distribution

Reference : 1534 17 Sep 45

To : Allied Commission,
Industry Sub-Commission

Subject : Applications for electric power allocations in Italian Government territory.

This Central Committee, in its meeting held 5 September, has approved the u/m applications for electric power, having given consideration to their importance and necessity :

1) SOCIETA' CARTIERA DI CEPRANO "ARATA E VISOCCHI" (Frosinone) power 1450 Kw needed for operation of machinery (cellulose plant, manufacture of paper, of poplar wood etc)

2) SOCIETA' FERROVIE ELETTRICHE ABRUZZESI (PESCARA)- power 150 Kw for restoration of railway service on the stretch from Pineta di Pescara - Pescara - Moscufo.

This Committee informs also that, considering that this year the campagna vinicola (vine crop season) has been advanced, has authorized by cable on 27 Aug 45 the Provincial Commission at Brindisi to allocate electric power for 3,800 HP for period 20 Aug - 20 Oct to the wine producing factories in the province, subject to agreements to be taken with Società Generale Pubbliese di Elettricità. Said consumers will be also subject to conditions of time and consumption in order to reduce to a minimum the charge on other consumers.-

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THE PRESIDENT
/s/ M. Visentini

Copy to :

Public Works and Utilities S/C.

Tel. ROME 843191/5 (Firebox)
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MILITARY RAILWAY SERVICE ITALY
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR (DMRSI)

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21 SEP 1945 2.14

Subject:-Alteration of Electric Power
for Italian State Railways
Electrified Lines-Southern Italy.

Tn.A.3(E)/15.
19th September 1945.

To:-Servizo Lavorie Costruzioni,
H.Q.Italian State Railways-Bldg.

Copy to:- Chief Engineer,3 District,
(att.Major Stevenson,ref your CE 6004/2/1 dated 12th Sept.45).
A.F.L.R.S.,R.A.A.C.
H.Q. AL 608 Public Works & Utilities Sub-Commission,A.P.O.394.
H.Q. Southern District P.B.S. A.P.O. 782.

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1. Reference your N.I.7.19/51594 and N.I.7.19/51593 both dated 26th August 1945 and further to my Tn.A.3(E)/15 dated 5th Sept.45.

2. In view of the present situation regarding availability of Electrical Power in Southern Italy it will not be possible to re-energise the VILLA LITERNO-AVERSA section of the ROME-NAPLES line or increase the allotment allocated for SALERNO-REGGIO CALABRIA line before the end of September 1945.

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6. Please arrange to investigate the power situation on the line in question and if necessary rearrange spacing of trains so that excessive peaks do not occur.

7. Please let me have the results of your investigation by return in order that the M.R.S.can bid for these power allocations at the Electric Power Committee meeting to be held on 25th September 1945.

8. Pending a decision as to the possibility of an increase of power for this line please arrange to keep the demand within the allocation allotted which is:-

Permissable 15 minute peak	3,000 k.w.'s.
Energy consumption per month	1.7 x 10 k.w.h's.

for Brigadier.
DIRECTOR OF RAILWAY SERVICE.

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SOCIETÀ MERIDIONALE DI ELETTRICITÀ
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C. P. C. N. 21017

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da citare nella risposta

Napoli, (105) 15 SET. 1945
VIA P. E. IMBRIANI, 46

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10 SEP 1945

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ROMA

Vi alleghiamo alla presente la tabella con i dati da voi richiestici in merito ai prelievi dello Stabilimento Montecatini di Crotone da gennaio I940 a tutto luglio I945.

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Telegrammi: TUSCIANO - NAPOLI

TRANSLATION

We enclose herewith the table with the data you have requested concerning supplies to the Montecatini Factory in Crotone from January I940 to July I945.

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I940 - I945

MESE	A. I940		A. I94I		A. I942	
	Erog.ne	p.m.	Erog.ne	p.m.	Erog.ne	p.m.
GENNAIO	26.463.706	44.500	25.862.548	45.500	26.203.533	42.000
FEBBRAIO	26.992.620	43.000	25.608.826	42.000	I8.I56.297	38.300
MARZO	27.948.049	43.500	28.428.659	44.400	24.705.355	42.500
APRILE	29=554.045	44.200	24.437.947	41.000	27.79I.000	43.500
MAGGIO	30.3I6.584	45.000	27.702.L70	41.500	3I.358.I00	46k500
GIUGNO	2I.980.363	4I.500	26.357.I9I	41.200	28.I32.860	44.650
LUGLIO	25.686.280	4I.800	26.580.687	41.000	30.255.950	47.100
AGOSTO	27.633.227	45.000	23.536.2I0	4Ik500	28.598.264	45.000
SETTEMBRE	23.393.322	42.000	I9.626.965	39.700	28.059.000	44.250
OTTOBRE	24.868.423	43.I00	24.726.25I	40.500	28.283.700	44.500
NOVEMBRE	25.536.376	44.000	20.694.I92	42.000	26.354.700	43.500
DICEMBRE	26.895.489	42.200	25.347.386	44.000	I3.8I3.200	42.000

Napoli, settembre I945

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I940 – I945

I	A. I942		A. I943		A. I944		A. I945	
p.m.	Erog.ne	p.m.	Erog.ne	p.m.	Erog.ne	p.m.	Erog.ne	p.m.
45.500	26.203.533	42.000	25.764.600	45.500	317.870		60I.440	
42.000	I8.I56.297	38.300	16.0I9.900	40.200	432.I80		925.960	
44.400	24.705.355	42.500	2I.020.400	38.300	393.400		I709.460	
41.000	27.79I.000	43.500	9.307.500	25.000	48I.740		5723.760	I0.200
41.500	3I.358.I00	46.500	I4.438.800	26.800	6I9.360		7II9.840	I4.000
41.200	28.132.860	44.650	16.662.600	30.000	907.200		64I3.400	9.800
41.000	30.255.950	47.100	11.484.300	29.900	I299.550		I278.900	5.000
4I.500	28.598.264	45.000	167.100	9.000	535.500			
39.700	28.059.000	44.250	–	–	II2I.050			
40.500	28.283.700	44.500	–	–	370.300			
42.000	26.354.700	43.500	173.800	–	58I.I40			
44.000	I3.8I3.200	42.000	3I6.I60	–	557.480			

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Subject :- Electricity - SANDRINGHAM-CAISTER Electric Railway.

Chief Engineer,
3 District Office,
BASSINGBOURN.
GT 602/3/1

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12. Sept. '45.

H.R.H., C.M.V.

AFLNS., PAAO.
DW., AFLO.
EO., AIOM Public Works & Utilities Sub-Commission APO 394.
PO, Southern District PWA. APO 742.

154_2nd Part

With reference to your letter No A 3(5)/15 dated 28th Aug '45 requesting an additional 2,000KW making a total proposed allocation of 5,000KW.

1. It has been ascertained from the Supply Coy that during the past month demands exceeding 3,000KW have been experienced from this line not only in 'off peak' but during 'peak load hours', thus enforcing 'feeder cuts' on other parts of the system. The monthly K.W.H. consumption has also been exceeded.

2. As Peninsular Base Section and 3 District have already had to accept reduced allocation of power due to the reduced generating capacity, the excessive demand of the SANDRINGHAM-CAISTER line over its allocation of 3,000KW during 'peak load hours' cannot be accepted.

3. Pending a decision as to the possibility of an increased allocation to this line by the Electric Power Committee or higher authority will you please arrange to keep the demand within the allocation.

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14 SEP 1945 21A

J. Stevenson.
Major
for Brigadier,
Chief Engineer.

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Subject : Power allocation for the month of September 1945

To : ADVANCED SECTION ELECTRICAL DIVISION
P.W. & U. Sub-Commission (Att. Maj. Barry)
in care of AMG Florence Province - Tel. 1153 Florence

Enclosed herewith for information is copy of power allocation for the month of September 1945.

By Command of Rear Admiral STONE,

GEORGE F. PARKER
Lt-Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Elec. Div.

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11 Sept. 45

Subject : Power allocation for the month of September 1945

To : MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS
(Att. Prof.Ing. Asta)

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Enclosed herewith for information are two copies of power allocation for the month of September 1945.

GEORGE F. PARKER
Lt-Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Elec. Div.

2 enclosures

Subject :- Electricity - Southern ITALY.
Proposed October Allocation.

Chief Engineer,
3 District CMF,
BASEBALL 84.
CE 6004/2/1.

12 Sept. '45.

HQ, ALCOM Public Works & UTilities Sub-Commission
APO 394.

1. Herewith (in duplicate) the SME Coy's proposed allocation of electric power on Southern ITALY for the month of October '45.

2. It will be noted that the Generating capacity of plants is reduced from the September figure of 158×10^3 to 156×10^3, and is 6000Kw below the estimated figure of 162×10^3 Kw for October as given in Appendix 'A' to this Office letter reference CE 6004/2/1 dated 13th Aug'45 addressed AFLRS.,RAAC, copy to you. The reason for this reduction being :-

(a) Reduced putput of CAPUANO Plant, due to reduced allocation of fuel oil.

(b) Reduced output of LETE Plant due to mechanical fault in plant, i.e. Penstock.

(c) Reduced output of CALORE Plant. Yield of 'spring' had decreased more than that estimated.

3. Remarks onthe proposed allocation are :-

(a) UNES. Decreased by 2×10^3Kw, part of area now supplied from TERNI.

(b) SALERNO-TORRE-CASTELLAMARE.

Increase of 0.5×10^3Kw. 'Feeder cuts' have ben more numerous in this area over the past two months than any other area in Soutnern ITALY.

(c) CALABRIA Railway.

Proposed increase by SME Coy of 3.0×10^3Kw as railway has been consistently exceeding their allocation of 3.0×10^3Kw, and in the opinion of the SME Coy it is impossible to oper-ate this line on that allocation. Without specific data on this matter, 3 District are not in a position to say whether this is correct or not, but desires that the subject be brought before the Electric Power Committee as increased bids in respect of APULIA and SALERNO-TORRE-CASTELLAMARE are being submitted by 3 District.

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13 SEP 1945 214

J. Stevenson
Brigadier,
Chief Engineer.

JS/GHR.
Encl : as stated

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ALLOCATION OF ELECTRIC POWER - OCTOBER 1945

SOUTHERN ITALY

AREA SERVED	RESPONSIBILITY OF	PERMISSIBLE 15 Minute Peak kW x 10	PERMISSIBLE Energy kWh x 10
Apulia Co:			
To UNRRA	3 District	36.00	20.50
Naples District	3 District	I.00	0.4
Campania Co:	F.B.S.	37.00-	20.0
(i) Frattamaggiore	F.B.S.	3.00	2.0
(ii) Torriglianno	3 District	I.50	I.3
(iii) Salerno-Torre-Castellammare	3 District	I9.50	II.0
(iv) Benevento	3 District	3.25	1.5
(v) Calore	3 District	I.00	0.7
(vi) Santa Maria	F.B.S.	5.50	2.9
Lucania Co.	3 District	4.00	I.6
Railways, Naples Area	M.R.S.	I.50	I.I0
Foggia Benevento	M.R.S.	8.-	3.00
Salerno-Torre	M.R.S.	2.-	1.I0
TOTAL I50 kV at Sub Station		123.75	67.I0
Calabria 60 kV System			
(i) Calabria Co.	ALCOM	8.50	3.00
(ii) Railways	M.R.S.	6.00	2.00
TOTAL 60 kV at Sub Stations		I4.50	5.00
TOTAL I50 kV and 60 kV		I38.25	72.90

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Apulia Co:			
To UNRRA	3 District	36.00	20.50
Naples District	3 District	1.00	0.4
Campania Co:	P.B.S.	37.00-	20.0
(i) Frattamaggiore	P.B.S.	3.50	2.0
(ii) Pomigliano	3 District	2.50	1.3
(iii) Salerno-Torre-Castellammare	3 District	19.50	11.0
(iv) Benevento	3 District	3.25	1.5
(v) Calore	3 District	1.00	0.7
(vi) Santa Maria	P.B.S.	5.50	1.9
Lucania Co.	3 District	4.00	1.6
Railways, Naples Area	N.R.S.	1.50	1.10
Foggia Benevento	N.R.S.	3.-	3.00
Salerno-Torre	N.R.S.	2.-	1.10
TOTAL 150 kV at Sub Station		123.75	67.10
Calabria 60 kV System			
(i) Calabria Co.	AMGOT	8.50	1.00
(ii) Railways	N.R.S.	6.00	2.80
TOTAL 60 kV at Sub Stations		14.50	5.80
TOTAL 150 kV and 60 kV		138.25	72.90
TOTAL AT PLANTS		156.00	84.00

Diversity factor = 0.94
Losses factor = 1.20
Energy Losses = 13 %

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With the above allocation courtaling for a total of about 13 MW are foreseen on present customers (5 Apulia + 4,5 Campania + 3,5 Naples).

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ENGINEER SECTION (BR)
A.F.H.Q.
C.M.F.
Tele.No. Freedom 972.

RE
P.W. & J.
12 SEP 1945 214

Subject:- Electricity Supply for Formation College Perugia. Eng/1613.

To:- Headquarters, Allied Commission.,
P.W.&U. Sub-Commission.,
Electrical Division.

1. Thankyou for your 214/PWU dated 5 Sep 45.

2. Owing to a change in policy this block of 400 KW will not now be required for the college and perhaps you would advise U.N.E.S. accordingly.

3. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated and it is regretted that the project has now fallen through.

A.G.J.DAVY.,
Major, R.E.,
for Brigadier,
Director of Works.

10 Sep 45.

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Tel : 478906 HEADQUARTERS ALLIED COMMISSION — VSR/sc
APO 394
Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission

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214/PWU. 5 Sep 45

Subject: Electricity Supply for Formation College, Perugia.

To : Engineer Section (Br), AFHQ, CMF.

F. 124 - 2nd Part

1. This letter supplements our previous letter dated 16 August 1945, File 214/PWU, same subject.

2. Transmitted herewith is a copy of a translation of a letter received from UNES, answering the question of electricity availability at Perugia.

For the Chief Commissioner:

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GEORGE F. PARKER,
Lieut-Colonel, Inf.
Chief, Elec. Div.

Incl: Translation of UNES letter
1 Sep 45.

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Tel. 469081 - Ext. 398

4 September 1945

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6 SEP 1945 214

SUBJECT : Allocation of Electric Power, New Loads.

TO : Chief Engineer, No. 3 District
C.M.F.
(Attn.: Maj. J. Stevenson)

1. Your letter CE3004/2/2 of 28 August 45 refers.

2. The list of new loads is re-submitted minus the Italian correspondence which was submitted to add informational value and weight to the request.

3. This list of new loads was recommended for connection by the Italian ministry to the Public Works and Utilities Sub-Commission of this headquarters and then passed in to Industry Sub-Commission for screening and approval. They are sent to the No.3 District as loads recommended for connection by Industry Sub-Commission, assuming that formal application was made by the customer thru civilian channels.

4. It is to be noted that these loads of 1 - 2 1/2 - 3 - 7 etc. Kw. Industry carries its function up to screening and recommendation only, and on these small minor loads does so only in remotest cases as it is inconceivable this number of 1 Kw. loads in Italy. All this data regarding characteristics of the load should be obtained locally by the Electric company and the provincial commissions in their screening.

5. In the case of loads 1000 - 5000 Kw. and upward, Industry will investigate availability, source of power, substation supply limitations, maximum demands, power factor, when peak point is desired,

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whether peaks can be utilized after midnite, monthly Kwh., production possibilities of plant etc. and this will be cleared thru Public Works and Utilities and Electric companies to assume facilities and power will exist if and when power allocation is made.

For the Chief Commissioner :

ANDREW HABAN JR, Major

for A.H. GLENDINNING
Colonel,
Acting Director,
Industry Sub-Commission.

Incl.:
List of New Loads
recommended for connection.

Copy to :-
Public Works and
Utilities S/C.

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LIST OF NEW LOADS

1. Pellicano Pasquale at Bitonto (Bari)
   Kw. 100
2. Cavalluzzi Ignazio - Pastificio at Palo del Colle (Bari) - Kw. 15
3. Pansini e Annese - Cantiere navale at Trani (Bari) - Kw. 20
4. Monetti Giuseppe - Gabinetto Chirurgico at Trani (Bari) - Kw. 1
5. Livieri Donato - at Mesagne (Brindisi)
   Kw. 7
6. Giannini Giuseppe - Stabilimento S. Marco (Brindisi) - Kw. 2½
7. Salatino Vito - Officina meccanica at Brindisi
   Kw. 1½
8. Casalini Maria Ved.Poli - at Brindisi - Kw.3

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL RESOURCES SECTION
AFHQ

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LRS/215 B/213

Postal Address:
AFLRS, Rome Area
Allied Command,
CMF.
Telephone: ROME 66275.

SUBJECT : Electricity -
MRS Demands,
Southern Italy.

TO : C.E., 3 District.

Copy to : D.W., AFHQ.
: M.R.S., CMF.
: HQ ALCOM Public Works & Utilities Sub-Com.
: HQ Southern Dist. P.B.S.
: "Q" 3 District.

1. Ref. your CE 6004/2/2 dated 1 Sept 45.

2. In view of the present situation regarding the availability of Electric Power in Southern Italy, neither of the demands submitted by the M.R.S. can be satisfied unless a compensating reduction of allocated load is made by present consumers. The great difficulty in endeavouring to effect such a reduction has been amply demonstrated in connection with the "Crotone" plant.

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Ref. AC/5628/IND

SUBJECT : Power Allocation,
Montecatini Chemical Works,
CROTONE.

TO : Allied Forces Local Resources Section
A.F.H.Q.

1. Your letter LRS/215B/196 dated 16 August 45 refers.

2. The matter disconnecting non-essential civil industrial installations was discussed with the Italian Ministry of Industry & Commerce. The Ministry reviewed the situation and replied in a written report (translation enclosed), and by conference at this Sub-Commission.

3. In accordance with their reply, and due to the critically low potential of the Sila reservoirs, and due to the further reductions in fuel oil allotments, it was decided that power was not readily available for a September bid at the 25 August 45 meeting of the AFLRS.

4. So much of para 12 of Ministry's report as refers to fuel oil, the decreasing allotment of fuel oil will actually tend to divert hydro power to the Naples area and obviously further complicate the situation of Crotone.

5. The situation of power for above works will again be reviewed prior to the September meeting of the AFLRS after which time the power rationing and possibly improved hydrological situation may make a power allocation to this works possible for either full time or, in accordance with para 12, for part time only.

For the Chief Commissioner:

ANDREW HABAN Jr. Maj. CAC

for A.H. GLENDINNING
Colonel,
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As per para 2 above.

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MINISTERO DELL'INDUSTRIA E COMMERCIO
Dir. Gen. Industrie e Miniere
Div. VI^

ELECTRIC POWER FOR THE MONTECATINI FACTORY - CROTONE

1. The Industry Sub-Commission, of A.C. in letter AC/5628/IND dated 13/8/1945, stated :

a) The rotation of the weekly holiday has not brought any benefit, on account of the non-cooperation of civilians.

b) Under existing circumstances, the request for electric power made by Montecatini of Crotone, cannot be considered.

c) It has been decided to revise the requests for electric power for Military orders.

d) A revision of allocations made to civilians has been requested, in order to eliminate non essential consumers, or those of low priority as Crotone.

2. There has been a slight decrease in total requests for power, before and after rotation of the weekly day off; but for Sundays there has been a greater increase, (in requests for power).

3. The excess used on Sundays is taken, a little off each of the other days, so as to effect distribution more evenly.

4. It is to be pointed out however, the fact that neither large consumptions of electric power nor the preferential consumptions by military commitments partake in this decrease.

5. There is found to be a tendency to increase the request fo power on Sundays, and to a corresponding decrease during the course of the week.

6. See weekly reports of the S.M.E. for the week 25/6 to 1/7 also from 30/7 to 5/8 c.y. and the schedule of power requests from 1/7 to 5/8.

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7. The plants of Sila, Orichella, Timpagrande and Calusia produce respectively 37, 76, and 21 thousand KWs. Adding only 18,000 KWs of the Monte Capuano, there is a total availability of 152,000 KWs.

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8. In the less favourable conditions of availability, the curve of the sum of non-contemporaneous peak loads, show that from 1/7 to 5/8 it was possible to supply the power (8,000 KW), to the Crotone factories.

9. The situation has been worse during the last week, as regards which data is available. Timpagrande plant had to stop 2 groups for the whole week viz., group N° 2 of 15,000 KW; and group N° 4 of 30,000 KW for two days (3rd and 4th August), while the M. Capuano plant could only in part supply the deficiency.

10. Owing to the mixing of civilian and Military consumers it is not possible to exclude some small but very numerous civilian consumers (otherwise than by a very lenghty examination), and in order to obtain a good result, it would be necessary to cut them out singly, and permanently, this we do not think advisable, as it would require very much more time and cause them to close down.

11. With the allocation of 4 x 10^6 KWH per month the Montecatini operate, can only for 20 days out of 30 days.

12. We propose therefore : that the Hydroelectric plant at Taranto be activated, and that the M. Capuano plant of Naples be supplied with fuel, and authorized to make use of the reserves of (40,000 - 18,000 = 22,000 KW) to cope with any possible breaking down of Hydroelectric groups of the S.M.E. (Società Meridionale Elettricità). Otherwise, we propose that the Montecatini be allowed to take from 8,000 KW up to 4 million KWH as a monthly average, without a guarantee of continuity. The firm would accept this condition and deduct the 10 days of average inactivity.

13. On the other hand, the "Ispettorato del Lavoro", could be induced to exercise a more intense vigilance for the observance of the rest period established by the management.

Rome 23/8/1945

Chief of Division
/s/ Ing. G. PAVIA

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OGGETTO
Fornitura energia elettrica al collegio di Perugia

Siamo in possesso della Vs/ lettera 214/PWU del 16 agosto u.s. e Vi comunichiamo che la fornitura di energia elettrica al collegio di Perugia da Voi richiesta può essere eseguita dalla ns/ Società alla tensione di circa 10 KV. Pertanto l'Amministrazione del collegio dovrà provvedere a sua cura e spese alla costruzione della cabina necessaria alla trasformazione dell'energia alla tensione di utilizzazione.-

Vi preghiamo comunque di volerci specificare l'uso al quale è destinata l'energia richiesta.-

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UNIONE ESERCIZI ELETTRICI
(U.N.E.S.)

Reference : 573/855 1 Sept 45

To : Public Works & Utilities S/C.

Subject : Electric power supply to Perugia College.

Reference your 214/PWU dated 16 Aug 45, we inform you that electric power supply to Perugia College as requested by you can be made by this Co. at a voltage of about 10 KV.

Therefore the College's administration will have to provide by their care and expense to the construction of the necessary substation for transforming the power to utilization voltage.

Will you please inform us as to destination of requested power.

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