

Licenses: American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee
(NY 682342)

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MEMORANDUM

For attachment to:

FFC Letter No:

Date: February 27, 1945

TO: Liaison Officer, Foreign Funds Control
FROM: War Refugee Board
Subject: Rescue and relief operations in enemy territory

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The War Refugee Board recommends that appropriate Treasury licenses and other necessary documents be issued permitting the execution of the project contemplated in the letter described above.

Remarks:

F. Hodel

For the War Refugee Board

Action:

Basic license No. W- issued
Remittance license No. NY 682342 issued March 2, 1945
Other:

R. B. Parke ex S. Church
Liaison Officer
Foreign Funds Control

Date:

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THE AMERICAN JEWISH
JOINT DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE, INC.
270 Madison Avenue, New York 16, N. Y.

February 23, 1945

The War Refugee Board
Washington, 25, D. C.

Attention: Miss Florence Hodel

Gentlemen:

We hereby request a license to transmit \$900,000 during the month of March to Saly Mayer, St. Gall, Switzerland, through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York as fiscal agent of the United States through the Chase National Bank of New York, for the program of rescue and relief which Mr. Mayer is carrying on from Switzerland.

We plan to send \$500,000 in the early days of March, and the balance of \$400,000 about March 15th. We would, therefore, appreciate your most expeditious handling of this application.

Yours very truly,

/s/ Evelyn M. Morrissey

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FOREIGN FUNDS CONTROL DEPARTMENT

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

NY 682342

Pursuant to application filed directly with this Department, you are hereby authorized to issue license to the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, 270 Madison Avenue, New York City, permitting it, notwithstanding the provisions of General Ruling No. 11, to remit the Swiss franc equivalent of \$900,000 to Mr. Saly Mayer, St. Gall, Switzerland. The licensee, or its bank of account, is authorized (a) to pay the dollar amount involved to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York for credit to the Banque Nationale Suisse, Zurich, for payment of the Swiss franc equivalent to the payee designated herein or (b) to purchase the Swiss francs involved from the Federal Reserve Bank of New York as Fiscal Agent of the United States, as shall be prescribed by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. Please send signed copy of license to Mr. Rushmore, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, and advise him this remittance is for humanitarian purposes.

(Initialed) L.C.A.

L. C. AARONS:

Acting Director

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Remittance license No. ~~W-687435~~ issued ~~March 26, 1945~~
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