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MEMORANDUM

For attachment to:

FFC Letter No:

Date: 4/28/45

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

There is transmitted herewith a copy of a letter dated April 27, 1945, from the American Jewish Joint Distribution Com dealing with remittance of Swiss franc equivalent of \$700,000 during the month of May to carry on program of rescue and relief.

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 694922 issued May 1, 1945
Other:

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

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

April 27, 1945

The War Refugee Board
Washington 25, D. C.

Attention: Miss Florence Hotel

Gentlemen:

We hereby request a license to transmit \$700,000 during the month of May 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 \$400,000 in the early days of May, and the balance of \$300,000 about May 15th. We would, therefore, appreciate your most expeditious handling of this application.

Yours very truly,

/s/ M. A. Leavitt

M. A. Leavitt ✓
Secretary

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FOREIGN FUNDS CONTROL DEPARTMENT
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

MAY 1 1945

NY 694922

Pursuant to application filed directly with this Department,
you are authorized to issue a license to American Jewish Joint
Distribution Committee, Inc., 270 Madison Avenue, New York,
permitting it, notwithstanding General Ruling No. 11, to remit
the Swiss franc equivalent of \$700,000 to Haly Mayer, St. Gall,
Switzerland. Sanction No. 8 F-2.

INITIALED M. L. H.

W. L. Hoffman
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