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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit SECOND AUST ARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 JAN *To* 1000 31 JAN 45

25491 5.42 St. 1621

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			'Q' STAFF AS AT 31 JAN 45	
			AQMG Lt-Col R. Summerhayes DAQMG I Major W. McMahon DAQMG II Major I.A.H. Spain SC I Capt P.R. Settree SC II Capt D. Humphreys SC (L) Capt J.F. Carr SC (111) Lt A.H. Campbell	
	1 Jan 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 315 - Movement of 6 Aust Mech Eq t Coy - QX828/27/2/27	
	10 Jan 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 316 - Movement of 2 Aust Broadcasting Sta Sig Sec - QX900/27/2/27	
	10 Jan 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 318 - Movement of 4 Aust Docks Op Coy (Type C) - QX905/27/2/27	
	10 Jan 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 317 - Movement of 9 Pl 1 Aust Port Maint Coy - QX904/27/2/27	
	15 Jan 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 319 - Movement of 8 Aust Radar Det (Type A) - QX958/27/2/27	
	16 Jan 45		Amendment No.1 to Second Aust Army Adm Instr 317 - Mov of 9 Pl 1 Aust Port Maint Coy - QX959/27/2/27	
	16 Jan 45		Amendment No.1 to Second Aust Army Adm Instr 318 - Mov of 4 Aust Docks Op Coy (Type C) - QX960/27/2/27	
	22 Jan 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 321 - Mov of 2/1 Aust Forestry Coy - QX1515/27/2/27	

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DAQMG Second Aust Army

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Unit CONTINUED *Date and Time.—From* *To*

23494 5.42 St. 1621

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA	24 Jan 45		Amendment No.1 to Second Aust Army Adm Instr 321 - Mov of 2/1 Aust Forestry Coy - QX1533/27/2/27	
	31 Jan 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 322 - Mov of 16 Aust Fd Regt (less Depot Tp Canungra and Det) - QX1613/27/2/27	

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DAQMG Second Aust Army

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit SECOND AUST ARMY Date and Time.—From 1000 hrs 1 FEB To 1000 hrs 28 FEB 45

23494 5.42 St. 1621

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			"Q" STAFF AS AT 28 FEB 45 AQMG Lt-Col R. Summerhayes DAQMG I Maj W. McMahon DAQMG II Maj I.A.H. Spain SC I Capt P.R. Settree SC II Capt D. Humphreys SC (L) Capt J.F. Carr SC III Lt A.H. Campbell	Q "Q" REGISTRY 19/0+0 Rec'd ____ Hrs.
	2 Feb 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 323 - Movement of 16 Aust Fd Regt (less D Tp) 16 Aust Fd Regt Sig Sec; 271 Aust LAD-QX1646/27/2/27	
	3 Feb 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 324 - Movement of 48 Aust Tele Swbd Op Sec - QX1652/27/2/27.	
	4 Feb 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 325 - Movement of 2/1 Aust F SP Bty QX1663/27/2/27	
	5 Feb 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 326 - Movement of 41 Aust Docks OP Coy - QX1668/27/2/27	
	16 Feb 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 327 - Taking and Handing over St.Ives Camp, 20 Aust Mot Regt - 16 Aust Fd Regt-QX1798/27/2/27	
	26 Feb 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 329 - Ord Stores-Indenting and Accounting - QX1884/2/16/-	
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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form C 2118
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Unit SECONDAUSTARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 Mar *To* 1000 hrs 31 Mar 45

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			'Q' STAFF AS AT 31 MAR 45	
			AQMG Lt-Col R. Summerhayes DAQMG I Maj W. McMahon DAQMG II Maj J.D.H. Arnott SCI Capt P.R. Settree SCII Capt D. Humphreys SC(L) Capt J.F. Carr SCIII Capt A.H. Campbell	
	7 Mar 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 331 - Mov of 7 Aust A Tps Coy QX1989/27/2/27	
	14 Mar 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 332 - Mov of 1 and 7 Aust Radar Dets QX1995/27/2/27	
	29 Mar 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 333 - Mov of 16 Aust CRE Wks QX2653/27/2/27	

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7 MAR 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 331
MOV OF 7 AD[illegible] A CPS COY

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD15383 of 3 Mar 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD4288 of 5 Mar 45, the above coy will prepare to move to QUEENSLAND area under comd Qld L of C Area on arrival.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Coy will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for draft in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO 360/44 as amended.
(c) Leave in accordance with GRO 598/43 will be completed.
(d) The provisions of GRO 321/43 will be complied with.
(e) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from Second Aust Army.
(f) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt
(i) Personnel will be equipped with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale A).
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt
(i) Move with unit eqpt WET scale, incl compressors.
(ii) Vehs will NOT be taken.
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L of C Area RAE Trg Centre will advise Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area by 30 Mar 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO 984/44 which are moving with Coy. Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery Offr concerned through Staff channels.
(iv) DADME Second Aust Army will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by RAE Trg Centre when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(c) Accn Stores
(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(ii) Scale 'A' Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.
(c) RAE Trg Centre will forward certificate to DADST Second Aust Army NOT later than 30 Mar 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) No move before 10 Apr 45.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 30 Mar 45.
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for movement is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. RAE Trg Centre will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 10 Mar 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma.

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for Major
.....Brig
(C.E. PRIOR)
DA & QMG SECOND AUST ARMY

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14 MAR 45

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SECOND / UST ARMY ADM INSTR 332
MOV OF 1 AND 7 AUST RADAR DETS

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD16417 of 8 Mar 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD4587 of 9 Mar 45 the above dets will prepare to move to 1 AUST CORPS Area under comd 1 AUST CORPS on arrival.
The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Units will move at WE Strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for draft in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the units prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:-
Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name.
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt
(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with Mob Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle green will NOT be issued.
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.
(b) Unit Eqpt
(i) Move with unit eqpt WET scale incl radar set CD No.1A portable Aust.
(ii) Vehs will NOT be taken. 1 AUST CORPS is providing on arrival.
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA, HQ FIXED DEFENCES NSW will advise Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA by 24 Mar 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with dets. Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery Offr concerned through Staff channels.
(iv) LADME SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit eqpt and vehs are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by HQ FIXED DEFENCES NSW when eqpt becomes available for inspection.
(d) Accn Stores
(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies [illegible]ised.

(ii) Scale 'A' Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.
(c) HQ FIXED DEFENCES NSW will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 24 Mar 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date after reorganisation.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to rea h HQ SECOND AUST ARMY on or before 20 Mar 45.
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. HQ FIXED DEFENCES NSW will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 24 Mar 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).

William McMahon
Maj/Br Brig
(C E PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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20 Mar 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 333
MOV OF 16 AUST CRE WKS

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD2C840 of 22 Mar 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD5584 of 26 Mar 45, the abcve unit will prepare for embarkation.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for draft in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO 360/44.
(c) The provisions of GRO 321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority of HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Perscnal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B), Jungle green will be issued.
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt

(i) Move with unit eqpt WET scale.
(ii) Vehs WE scale will be taken.
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA, RAE TRG CENTRE will advise Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area by 7 Apr 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with unit. Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery Offr concerned through Staff channels.
(iv) DADME Second Aust Army will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by RAE TRG CENTRE when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores:

(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(ii) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn,

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) RAE TRG CENTRE will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 7 Apr 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.

(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY on or before 7 Apr 45.

(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order (NOT for units remaining in QLD L OF C AREA).

REPORTS

9. RAE TRG CENTRE will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 31 Mar 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).

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for .....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit SECOND AUST ARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 Apr *To* 1000 hrs 30 Apr 45

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			"Q" STAFF AS AT 30 APR 45	
			AQMG Lt-Col R. Summerhayes DAQMG I Maj J. McMahon	
			DAQMG II Maj J.D.H. Arnott SC II Capt D. Humphreys	
			SC III Capt A.H. Campbell SC (L) Capt J.F. Carr	
	4 Apr 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 334 - Mov of 7 Aust Fd Coy QX2701/27/2/27	
	4 Apr 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 335 - Mov of 10 Aust Army Tps Coy QX2717/27/2/27	
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	26 Apr 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 340 - Mov of 7 Aust Mech Eqpt Wksp QX2937/27/2/27	
	27 Apr 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 341 - Mov of 8 Aust Docks Op Coy QX2939/27/2/27	

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form C. 2118
(adapted.)

Unit SECONDAUSTARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 Apr *To* 1000hrs 30 Apr 45

23491 5.42 St. 1621

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA	27 Apr 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 342-Mov of 270 Aust LAD QX2940/27/2/27	
	29 Apr 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 343 - Mov of 259 Aust LAD QX2948/27/2/27	

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29 APR 45

QX2948/27/2/27

SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 343

MOV OF 259 AUST LAD

GEN

1. (a) Authority for mov - Landforces SD30871 of 25 Apr 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD8471 of 26 Apr 45, the above unit will prepare for embarkation for tropical service in First Aust Army area.

The following action will be taken prior to move

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details :-

Army No
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle green will be issued.
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt

(i) Unit eqpt will NOT be taken.

12 Aust L of C Sigs will arrange for custody of unit hand tools eqpt and vehs pending arrival of 550 Aust LAD.

(ii) Vehs will NOT be taken.
(iii) Stationery and non expendable office requisites will NOT be taken.
(iv) DADME Second Aust Army will ensure that all unit weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(c) Accn Stores

(i) Accn stores held on Fl and Fla at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure and any deficiencies finalised.
(ii) Scale 'A' Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) 12 Aust L of C Sigs will forward certificate to DADST Second Aust Army NOT later than 7 May 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 3 May 45.
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all ammn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. 12 Aust L of C Sigs will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 3 May 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro formas (attached).

ACK - Second addressee only.

for .....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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27 APR 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 342
MOV OF 270 AUST LAD

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD30870 of 25 Apr 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD442/3/26 of 26 Apr 45, the above unit will prepare to move to QUEENSLAND area under comd Qld L of C Area on arrival.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO 1660/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details :-

Army No
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale A).

(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt

(i) Unit eqpt will NOT be taken.
Camp HQ Second Aust Army will arrange for custody of hand tools, unit eqpt vehs pending arrival 257 Aust LAD.

(ii) Vehs will NOT be taken.

(iii) Stationery and non-expendable office requisites will NOT be taken.

(iv) DADME Second Aust Army will ensure that all unit (eqpt and weapons) are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by 270 Aust LAD when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(c) Accn Stores

(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(ii) Scale 'A' Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) 270 Aust LAD will forward certificate to DADST Second Aust Army NOT later than 5 May 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.

(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/45 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 1 May 45.

(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. 270 Aust LAD will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 1 May 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).

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.....Brig Maj
(C.E. PRIOR)
DA & QMG Second Aust Army

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270 Aust LAD	1-3	GS(OPS)	22
NSW L of C Area	4-6	GS(SD)	23-24
DDOS NSW L of C Area	7-9	GS(I)	25
[illegible]ec	10	DA & QMG	26
[illegible]	11	AAG	27-28
Dental	12	ACMG	29
S & T	13	Chaplains	30
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Apr 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 341
MOVE OF 8 AUST DOCKS OP COY

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD30690 of 24 Apr 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD8939 of 25 Apr 45, the above coy will prepare for embarkation for tropical service.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT. ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle green will be issued.

(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt

(i) Move with unit eqpt WET scale.

(ii) Move with Vehs WE scale

(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA 1 Aust Port [illegible] will advise Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA by 1 May 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with coy. Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery offr concerned through service channels.

(iv) DADMS SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by 1 Port Maint Coy when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores

(i) Accn stores held on FI and Fla at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(ii) Scale "A" Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A521/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) 1 Port Maint Coy will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 1 May 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) No move before 1 May 45.

(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 1 MAY 45.

(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2 (b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all ammn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 571/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. 1 Aust Port Maint Coy will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 1 May 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).

(C. E. PRIOR) BRIG
DA & QMG SECOND AUST ARMY

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DISTRIBUTION

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1 Aust Port Maint Coy	1-3
Aust Docks Services " Trg Coy	4-6
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DDOS NSW L of C Area	10-12
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Dental	15
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INFORMATION:	Copy No.
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DA&QMG	29
AAG	30-31
AQMG	32
Chaplains	33
Catering	34
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Unit Stores Accounts Sec	36
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26 Apr 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 340
MOV OF 7 AUST MECH EQPT WKSP

GEN

I. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD30646 of 25 Apr 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD8440 of 26 Apr 45, the above unit will prepare for embarkation tropical service.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.

(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.

(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.

(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.

(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen I (Scale B). Jungle green will be issued.

(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt

(i) Move with unit eqpt WET scale, incl mech eqpt.

(ii) Move with vehs WE scale 4 x 4.

(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA 7 Aust Mech Eqpt Wksp will advise Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA by I May 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are moving with unit. Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery offr concerned through Service channels.

(iv) DADME SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by 7 Aust Mech Eqpt Wksp when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores

(i) Accn stores held on FI and FIa at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(ii) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A326/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of CC.

(c) 7 Aust Mech Eqpt Wksp will forward certificate to DADOS SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 1 May 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move soonest after 1 May 45.

(b) Particulars required by GRO G3I8/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY forthwith.

(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all ammn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 37I/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. 7 Aust Mech Eqpt Wksp will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY forthwith and weekly thereafter as per Progress Reports pro forma (attached).

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(C.E.PRIOR) LT-COL
DA & QMG SECOND AUST ARMY

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 339
MOV OF 10 AUST MECH EQPT SPARE PARTS SEC
11 AUST MECH EQPT SPARE PARTS SEC
12 AUST MECH EQPT SPARE PARTS SEC

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD28991 of 17 Apr 45.

(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD7943 of 18 Apr 45, the above Secs will prepare to move to QUEENSLAND area under cond Qld L of C Area on arrival for local administration.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Units will move present strength;

(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO 360/44 as amended;

(c) The provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with;

(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the units prior to movement, without authority from HQ Second Aust Army;

(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:
Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, AGE STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale A). Jungle Green will NOT be issued.

(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt. 10% AG eqpt only will be taken.

(b) Unit Eqpt

(i) Move with unit eqpt WOT scale.

(ii) Vehs will NOT be taken.

(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA 1 RAE Trg Centre will advise Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA by 28 Apr 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with secs. Stationery

Offr NSW L OF C AREA will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery offr concerned through Staff channels.

(iv) DADME SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by 1 RAE Trg Centre when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores - will NOT be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Cables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.

(c) 1 RAE Trg Centre will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 28 Apr 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.

(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY at earliest.

(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY.

8. The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of these units for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

REPORTS.

9. 1 RAE Trg Centre will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 28 Apr 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma.

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(C.E.PRIOR) BRIG
DA&QMG SECOND AUST ARMY

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1 RAE Trg Centre	1 - 8	GS(OPS)	25
DDOS NSW L of C Area	9 - 11	GS(SD)	26 -
Mil Sec	12 - 14	GS(I)	28
Med	15	Engrs	29
ADDS NSW L of C Area	16	DA&QMG	30
S & T	17	AAG	31 -32
Ord	18 - 22	AQMG	33
AEME	23	Chaplains	34
Sal	24	Catering	35
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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 338
MOVEMENT OF 7 AUST MECH EQPT COY

GEN

1. (a) Authority for mov - Landforces SD28387 of 14 Apr 45
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD6766 of 16 Apr 45, the above coy will prepare to embark for tropical service.
The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Units will move at WE strength;
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44 as amended;
(c) The provisions of GRO 321/43 will be complied with;
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army;
(e) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:
Army No
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Unit will take tropical scales where applicable
(b) Personal Eqpt
(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle green will be issued.
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt. 10% AG eqpt only will be taken.
(c) Unit Eqpt
(i) Move with unit eqpt WEt scale and mech eqpt.
(ii) Vehs. Details will be advised on receipt of HQ instrs.
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L of C Area 1 RAE Trg Centre will advise Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area by 25 Apr 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with Coy. Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery offr concerned through staff channels.
(iv) DADME Second Aust Army will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by 1 RAE Trg Centre when eqpt becomes available for inspection.
(d) Accn Stores
(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(ii) Scale 'A' Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.
(c) 1 RAE Trg Centre will forward certificate to DADST Second Aust Army NOT later than 28 Apr 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ Second Aust Army at earliest.
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. 1 RAE Trg Centre will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 28 Apr 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma.

ACK - First addressee only.

for Brig
(C.E. PRIOR)
DA & QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

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1 RAE Trg Centre	1-6	GS(CPS)	24
NSW L of C Area	7-9	GS(SD)	25-26
DDOS NSW L of C Area	10-12	GS(I)	27
Milsec	13	Engrs	28
Med	14	DA & QMG	29
Dental	15	AAG	30-31
S & T	16	AQMG	32
Ord	17-21	AA Ch D	33
AEME	22	Catering	34
Salvage	23	DFO	35
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19 APR 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 337
MOV OF 329 AUST LAD

GEN

1. (a) Authority for mov - Landforces SD28387 of 14 Apr 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD6766 of 16 Apr 45, the above det will prepare to embark for tropical service.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Units will move at WE strength
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44 as amended.
(c) The provisions of GRO 321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Unit will take tropical scales where applicable.
(b) Personal Eqpt
(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle green will be issued.
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt. 10% AG eqpt only will be taken.
(c) Unit Eqpt
(i) Move with unit eqpt WET scale.
(ii) Vehs WE scale 4x4 will be taken
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L of C Area 1 RAE Trg Centre will advise Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area by 25 Apr 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with det. Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery Offr concerned through Staff channels.

(iv) DADME Second Aust Army will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by 1 RAE Trg Centre when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores

(i) Accn stores held on Fl and Fla at present location will be returned to appropriate Qd or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(ii) Scale 'A' Accn stores incl tentage will be taken

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Table s will be drawn and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) 1 RAE Trg Centre will forward certificate to DADST Second Aust Army NOT later than 28 Apr 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.

(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ Second Aust Army at earliest.

(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all ammn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails admn action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. 1 RAE Trg Centre will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 25 Apr 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma.

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(C.E.PRIOR)
DA & QMG SECOND AUST ARMY

DISTRIBUTION

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1 RAE Trg Centre	1-6	GS (OPS)	23
NSW L of C Area	7-9	GS (SD)	24-25
DDOS NSW L of C Area	10-12	GS (I)	26
[illegible]	13	DA & QMG	27
[illegible]	14	AAG	28-29
[illegible]	15	AQMG	30
[illegible]	16	AA Cn D	31
Ord	17-20	Catering	32
[illegible]	21	DFC	33
Salvage	22	Unit Stores A/C Sec	34
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7 APR 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 336
MOV OF 6 AUST RADAR DET

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 24349 of 3 Apr 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD 6048 of 4 Apr 45, the above det will prepare for embarkation tropical service.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO 360/44 as amended.
(c) Leave may be granted where applicable in accordance with GRO 596/43.
(d) Provisions of GRO 521/43 will be complied with.
(e) No transfers of personnel will be effected from unit prior to movement, without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(f) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFICERS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle green will be issued.
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt

(i) Move with unit eqpt WET scale.
(ii) Vehs WE Scale.
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA, FIXED DEFENCES NSW will advise Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area by 14 Apr 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO 984/44 which are moving with det. Stationery Offr NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery offr concerned through Staff Channels.
(iv) DADOE Second Aust Army will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by Fixed Defences NSW when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores

(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised
(ii) Scale "A" Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC,
(c) Fixed Defences NSW will forward certificate to DADST Second Aust Army NCT later than 14 Apr 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY on or before 14 Apr 45,
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order (NOT for units remaining in QLD L OF C AREA)

REPORTS

9. FIXED DEFENCES NSW will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 14 Apr 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).

ACK - First addressee only

.....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

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S & T	13
ORD	14-18
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SALVAGE	20

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4 Apr 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 335
MOV OF 10 AUST ARMY TPS COY

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD23439 of 29 Mar 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD5868 of 30 Mar 45, the above Coy will prepare to move to Queensland area under comd Qld L of C Area on arrival.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for draft in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, AGCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B).
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt

(i) Unit eqpt will NOT be taken.
(ii) Vehs will NOT be taken.
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA RAE Trg Centre will advise Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA by 14 Apr 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with coy. Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery Offr concerned through Staff channels.
(iv) DADME SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by RAE Trg Centre when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores
(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(ii) Scale "A" Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO 1321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.
(c) RAE Trg Centre will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 14 Apr 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G316/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY on or before 20 Apr 45.
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all ammn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order (NOT for units remaining in QLD L OF C AREA).

REPORTS

9 RAE Trg Centre will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 14 Apr 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma.

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(C.E.PRIOR) Brig

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4 Apr 45

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADMINSTR 334
MOV OF 7 AUST FD COY

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD23436 of 29 Mar 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD5866 of 30 Mar 45, the above coy will prepare to move to QLD area under comd QLD L OF C AREA on arrival.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for draft in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ SECOND AUST ARMY.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFICERS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt

(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B).
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.

(b) Unit Eqpt
(i) Unit eqpt will NOT be taken.
(ii) Vehs. Take tractors qty 3.
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA, RAE TRG CENTRE will advise Stationery Offr NSW L of C AREA by 14 Apr 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with coy. Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery offr concerned through Staff channels.
(iv) DADME SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by RAE TRG CENTRE when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores
(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(ii) Scale "A" Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.
(c) RAE Trg Centre will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 14 Apr 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY on or before 7 Apr 45.
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO G.[illegible]/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order (NOT for units remaining in QLD L OF C AREA).

REPORTS

9. RAE Trg Centre will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 14 Apr 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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(adapted.)

Unit HQ SECOND AUST ARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 May *To* 1000 hrs 31 May 45

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			"G" STAFF AS AT 31 MAY-45 AQMG Lt-Col A.G. Hague	
			DAQMG I Maj W. McMahon DAQMG II Maj J.D.H. Arnott	
			~~GS I Capt Campbell A.~~ SC II Capt Routh J.	
			SC III Capt Humphreys D. SC IV Capt Carr J.F.	
		5 May 45	Second Aust Army Adm Instr 344 - Mov of 12 Aust L of C Sigs QX3503/23/2/58	
		5 May 45	Second Aust Army Adm Instr 345 - Mov of 15 Aust Radar Det (Type B) - QX3504/27/2/27	
		7 May 45	Second Aust Army Adm Instr 346 - Mov of 390 Aust LAD QX3527/27/2/27	
		12 May 45	Second Aust Army Adm Instr 347 - Mov of 122 Aust Fd Coy Q1172	
		21 May 45	Second Aust Army Adm Instr 348 - Mov of 1 Aust Div Pro Coy Q 1413	
		20 May 45	Second Aust Army Adm Instr 349 - Mov of 20 Aust Fnr En - Q1381	
		26 May 45	Second Aust Army Adm Instr 350 - Adm Arrangements for Second Aust Army Units in Vic L of C Area - Q1496	

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QX3503/23/2/58
SECOND AUST ARMY AD. INSTR 344
MOV OF 12 AUST L OF C SIGS

1. 12 Aust L of C Sigs will move from present location to MIDDLE HEAD and will occupy blocks and buildings previously occupied by LHQ School of Artillery (AASL) and AA & CA Sigs Eastern Area.

2. Move will be completed by 21 May 45.

3. Unit will move with personal arms and equipment, unit stores, accn stores, tentage and vehicles at present held.

4. As far as possible unit transport will be utilised for the move. Additional requirements will be notified to this HQ. No convoys in excess of 5 vehs will be used.

5. (a) All buildings, together with fi ttings, electric light globes and other P3 items will be left intact at present site. Arrangements will be made with Camp Staff Officer R.A.S Showground Moore Park to take over the Camp on AAF P3.

(b) The Camps at MIDDLE HEAD will be taken over on AAFs P3 from CI LHQ School of Artillery (AASL) and OC AA & CA Sigs Eastern Area.

6. 3 Aust Fire Comd will provide 20 ORs as additional male labour for the move. These personnel will march in to 12 Aust L of C Sigs on 10 May 45. Accn and rations will be provided by 12 Aust L of C Sigs.

7. Advice of completed move will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army, together with certificate from OC stating that the site and buildings at BORONIA were left in a complete, clean and tidy condition and that all refuse, salvage dumps etc. have been removed.

[signature]
.....Brig
(C.B.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 345
MOV OF 15 AUST RADAR DET (TYPE B)

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD32327 of 1 May 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD8895 of 2 May 45, the above det will prepare to move to 11 AUST DIV area under comd 11 AUST DIV, on arrival.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt
(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle green will NOT be issued.

(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt only.

(b) Unit Eqpt
(i), Unit eqpt will be returned to 5 AUST BOD.
(ii) DADME SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by FIXED DEFENCES NSW when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(c) Accn Stores
(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) FIXED DEFENCES NSW will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 13 May 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOV

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY forthwith.
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. FIXED DEFENCES NSW will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 8 May 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).

ACK - First addressee only

William McMahon
.....for Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADJ INSTR 346
MOV OF 320 AUST LAD

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD34758 of 3 May 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD9045 of 4 May 45, the above unit will prepare for embarkation for tropical service. The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be AIF, med class A1.
(c) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO 360/44 as amended.
(d) The provisions of GRO 321/43 will be complied with.
(e) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(f) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub para (c) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:-
Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt
(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle Green will NOT be issued.
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt.
(b) Unit Eqpt
(i) Move with unit eqpt WET scale.
(ii) Move with vehs WE scale.
(iii) By arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA 12 Aust L of C Sigs will advise Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA by 12 May 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO Q84/44 which are moving with unit Stationery Offr NSW L OF C AREA will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise the Stationery offr concerned through service channels.
(iv) DADOS SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and will be advised by 12 Aust L of C Sigs when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(c) Accn Stores
(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(ii) Scale "A" Accn stores incl tentage will be taken

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) 12 Aust L of C Sigs will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY NOT later than 12 May 45, that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move at an early date to be advised.

(b) Particulars required by GRO G818/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY on or before 12 May 45.

(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm. Pro forms will in addition specify weight of all ammn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY.

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order (NOT for units remaining in NSW L OF C AREA).

REPORTS

9. 12 Aust L of C Sigs will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 12 May 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro formas (attached).

ACK - First addressee only.

(J.E.PRIOR) Brig
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 347
MOV OF % 22 AUST FD COY

GEN

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD27436 of 11 Apr 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD 6493 of 12 Apr 45, the above coy will prepare to move to NT under comd NORFORCE on arrival.

The following action will be taken prior to move.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Coy will move at WE strength. The WE of this unit is indicated in para 2 of Second Aust Army A551 of 14 May 45.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44 amended.
(c) The provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the Coy prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for mov will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ which will incl the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does not move with unit.

PERSONAL AND UNIT EQPT, ACCN STORES

4. (a) Personal Eqpt
(i) Personnel will be issued with clothing and necessaries in accordance with MGO Equipment Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B). Jungle green will NOT be issued.
(ii) Move with personal arms and eqpt only. 10% AG eqpt only will be taken.

(b) Unit Eqpt
(i) Unit will NOT be taken.
(ii) Vehs will NOT be taken.
(iii) Stationery - Non expendable office requisites will be returned to Stationery Depot NSW L of C Area prior to move.

(d) (iv) DADME SECOND AUST ARMY will ensure that all unit eqpt and weapons are in good condition prior to move and wil be advised by 1 RAE TRG CENTRE when eqpt becomes available for inspection.

(d) Accn Stores
(i) Accn stores held on F1 and F1a at present location wil be returned to appropriate QM or appropriate Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Unit will draw and account for two days' reserve rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense stores as authorised by WE Tables will be drawn and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for troops in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.
(c) 1 RAE TRG CENTRE will forward certificate to DADST SECOND AUST ARMY earliest after reconcentration that this para has been complied with.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS OF THE MOVE

7. (a) Move on reconcentration after leave at a date to be advised.
(b) Particulars required by GRO G318/43 will be despatched in message form to reach HQ SECOND AUST ARMY on or before 20 Apr 45.
(c) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of mov are firm.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duty entails adm action in preparation of this unit for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b) unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this Order.

REPORTS

9. 1 RAE TRG CENTRE will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 26 May 45, and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma.

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.....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 348 21 May 45
MOV OF 1 AUST DIV PRO COY

INFM
1.(a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 37951 of 16 May 45,
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD9775 of 17 May 45, the above coy will prepare to move to QUEENSLAND at an early date to be advised, under Comd QLD L OF C AREA on arrival.

PERSONNEL
2.(a) Unit will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFICERS
3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:-

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT
4.(a) Personal Arms & Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale A)
(ii) Jungle Green will NOT be issued.
(b) Vehs 1, Van 12 cwt will be transferred to 1 Aust Port Maint Coy. Instructions for the disposal of remaining vehs will follow.
(c) Inspection of Weapons
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons and eqpt are in good condition prior to mov.
(d) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(e) Inspection of Tentage
(i) Unit will advise DDOS NSW L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.
(ii) DDOS NSW L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.
(f) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with NSW L of C Area, unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 26 May 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise Stationery Officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res and Emergency Rations Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 26 May 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 24 May 45.
(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.
(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. 1 AUST DIV PRO COY will report to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY by 26 May 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).

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DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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SECOND AUST ARMY AA INSTR 349
MOV OF 20 AUST PNR BN

INFM
1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD37591 of 15 May 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD8753 of 17 May 45, the above unit will prepare to move to Queensland at an early date to be advised, under Comd Qld L of C Area on arrival.

PERSONNEL
2. (a) Unit will move at present strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS
3. A nominal roll of Offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:-
Army No
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT move with unit.

STORES AND EQPT
4. (a) Personal Arms & Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale A).
(ii) Jungle Green will NOT be issued.
(iii) AG Eqpt will NOT be taken.
(b) Vehs will NOT be taken. Instructions for disposal of Vehs will follow.
(c) Inspection of Weapons.
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADOS will ensure that all weapons are in good condition prior to mov.
(d) Accn Stores:
(i) Scale "A" Accn stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate Fd or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(e) Inspection of Tentage
(i) Unit will advise DDOS NSW L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.
(ii) DDOS NSW L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.
(f) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with NSW L of C Area unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 24 Mar 45, details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise Stationery Officer at destination through service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res and Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 24 May 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be re-directed.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army forthwith.

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2 (b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8 (b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. 20 Aust Pnr Bn will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 24 May 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).

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DA&Q.G Second Aust Army

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR NO. 370
ADM ARRANGEMENTS FOR SECOND AUST ARMY UNITS
IN VIC L OF C AREA

1. Adm arrangements for units of Second Aust Army located in Vic L of C Area will be as set out hereunder:-

BRANCH OF THE AG

2. AA CH D - Postings of Chaplains to units under comd will be arranged by HQ SECOND AUST ARMY which will also effect any necessary liaison with HQ Vic L of C Area.

MEDICAL

3. (a) Medical services for Units and establishments will be under the supervision of D.M.S Second Aust Army who will arrange through staff channels for Medical Officers to be posted to Units in accordance with Regs.

(b) Any questions involving policy or the provision of additional Medical Services will be referred to HQ Second Aust Army.

(c) Local administration of Units will be carried out by DD.M.S Vic L of C Area as follows:-

(i) Evacuation of casualties beyond RAPs, hospitalisation and transfer to convalescent depots etc., will remain a responsibility of HQ Vic L of C Area.

(ii) Medical reclassification and consultations will be submitted for approval and confirmation to DD.M.S HQ Vic L of C Area.

(iii) Indents for, or return of medical stores will be arranged through DD.M.S HQ Vic L of C Area.

(iv) HQ Vic L of C Area, where necessary with the concurrence of HQ Second Aust Army, will appoint the CO of a medical unit or a particular medical officer as S.M.O of a camp area or areas. The S.M.O will arrange for the issue of medical instructions through the appropriate camp commander to all units in the area. D.M.S Second Aust Army and S.M.Os may communicate direct with each other on medical matters concerning Second Aust Army units.

(v) Hygiene. HQ Vic L of C Area will supervise Hygiene of Units and establishments under Comd Second Aust Army. Supervision of Hygiene will be exercised by the DD.M.S through S.M.Os of camp areas wherever practicable.

DENTAL

4. (a) Allotment of dental units or sections to Second Aust Army units is arranged by HQ Vic L of C Area

(b) Any matters involving questions of policy or which cannot be adjusted locally will be referred to HQ Second Aust Army.

PAY

5. Existing procedure for pay and allowances as arranged by HQ Vic L of C Area will be continued.

LEGAL

6. (a) Comd Aust Central Sig Trg Depot holds delegated power to convene DCsM and will continue to exercise that power and to forward proceedings direct to LHQ.

(b) Aust Central Sig Trg Depot, 1 AASC Trg Bn, 1 AAOC Trg Bn, 1 AAOC Trg Coy and 3 Aust MT Trg Depot will submit applications for DCsM to Comd Aust Central Sig Trg Depot and will submit applications for GCsM and for summary trial of officers and WOs to HQ Second Aust Army.

(c) Fixed Defences Vic, Second Aust Army Junior Leaders School 2 AHC Trg Bn, 2 Aust Tech Trg Centre (Vic) and 3 Aust Army Trades Trg Depot will submit to HQ Vic L of C Area applications for GCsM, DCsM and for summary trial of officers or WOs and will comply with any instructions and orders relating thereto issued and given by HQ Vic L of C Area.

(d) All cases involving questions of policy or requiring a direction by higher authority will be referred to HQ Second Aust Army.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION FOLLOWING INVESTIGATIONS

7. In cases where disciplinary action is considered necessary, as the result of investigations by HQ Vic L of C Area, following upon MT accidents or Offences or Losses of Stores and Equipment, any directions regarding such disciplinary action issued by HQ Vic L of C Area will be implemented by the Second Aust Army units concerned.

PROVOST

8. Provost duties as necessary are arranged by HQ Vic L of C Area.

MILITARY PRISONS AND DETENTION BARRACKS

9. Second Aust Army Units will conform to any local instructions issued by HQ Vic L of C Area.

EDUCATION

10. (a) DAD Education Vic L of C Area will be responsible for the organisation and supervision of all AAES activities for Second Aust Army units located in Victoria.

(b) Second Aust Army units will communicate direct with DAD Education Vic L of C Area, or his local representative, on all AAES matters.

(c) Monthly reports will be submitted to DAD Education Vic L of C Area with a copy to Education Officer Second Aust Army (vide Second Aust Army AO 37/44).

(d) Questions of policy requiring a decision by higher authority will be referred to HQ Second Aust Army through normal command and staff channels.

AMENITIES

11. (a) Amenities Stores and sporting gear will be obtained through DAD Amenities Vic L of C Area, who is responsible for co-ordination of all amenities activities in the area including provision of amenities for camps occupied by Second Aust Army units.

(b) Amenities officers of Second Aust Army units may communicate with DAD Amenities Vic L of C Area direct on routine service matters.

(c) Monthly reports will be submitted to DAD Amenities Vic L of C Area with a copy to Amenities Officer, Second Aust Army.

(d) Any matters of policy will be referred to HQ Second Aust Army for direction.

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QUARTERING

12. (a) Provision of accommodation is the responsibility of HQ Vic L of C Area, which will allocate camps and areas to Second Aust Army Units and arrange for the provision of camp accommodation stores and other requirements.

(b) Units will submit requests for new works or accommodation to HQ Vic L of C Area with a copy to HQ Second Aust Army for information.

(c) Requisitions for repairs and maintenance or minor and unforeseen works will be submitted through the Camp Staff Officer, (L of C) concerned to HQ Vic L of C Area.

HIRINGS

13. (a) Second Aust Army Units will deal direct with HQ Vic L of C Area in connection with any dehirings, and will advise AHQ of action taken.

(b) Damages and claims in respect of hired premises will be dealt with by HQ Vic L of C Area but reference will be made by HQ Vic L of C Area to AHQ in cases where disciplinary action or investigation is necessary.

(c) Application for new hirings will first be referred by units to AHQ for concurrence, who will pass to Vic L of C Area for approval.

MOVEMENTS

14. (a) All movements of individuals and small parties will be carried out by "Q" Branch HQ Vic L of C Area. Units will deal direct with HQ Vic L of C Area which will make any necessary arrangements with the appropriate Movement Control Group.

(b) Authority for movement of personnel by air will be given by AHQ. Signals from AHQ to units authorising air travel will also be addressed to HQ Vic L of C Area and repeated to Movements Melbourne.

(c) The movement of formed units will be under the direction of AHQ. GRO 318/43 particulars will be submitted to HQ Vic L of C Area repeated AHQ. Movement will be effected by HQ Vic L of C Area when preparedness for movement is assured. Copies of the relevant Movement Control Orders will be forwarded to AHQ.

S & T

15. (a) HQ Vic L of C Area is responsible for S & T Services (including issue of Food Ration Coupons) to units of Second Aust Army. Matters of policy will be referred to AHQ with copy of memo to HQ Vic L of C Area.

(b) Arrangements will be made direct between units and "Q" Branch HQ Vic L of C Area for the provision of transport.

CATERING, STATIONERY, POSTAL, SALVAGE, CANTEENS

16. HQ Vic L of C Area is responsible for the provision of these services for units of Second Aust Army. Arrangements will be made direct between units and HQ Vic L of C Area but matters of policy will be referred to AHQ for direction as necessary.

LOSSES AND DAMAGE TO STORES ETC.

17. (a) Investigations etc. under GRO 348/44 will be submitted through normal channels to AHQ with a recommendation as to the action to be taken.

(b) Where write off is involved, the file will be forwarded to Vic L of C Area for valuation and where necessary provisional adjusting vouchers will be approved before submission to AHQ.

ORDNANCE SERVICE RESPONSIBILITIES - UNITS OF SECOND AUST ARMY VIC L OF C AREA

18. DDOS Vic L of C Area will accept responsibility for Ordnance servicing of units of Second Aust Army stationed in Victoria. Units located SEYMOUR, ALBURY, BONEGILLA and HUME areas will be serviced by DADOS ALBURY, all other areas direct by DDOS.

The following procedure will apply -

(a) MT & Watercraft Census

(i) Units will submit returns to DDOS or DADOS.
(ii) DDOS or DADsOS will consolidate and distribute in accordance with GRO 318/42 and forward one additional copy to HQ Second Aust Army.
(iii) DDOS or DADsOS will maintain Vehicle Census Cards and receive AAFs G52 from units.

(b) Controlled Stores - Technical Stores

(i) Units will submit returns to DDOS or DADsOS.
(ii) DDOS or DADsOS will check returns distributed in accordance with GRO 195/44 and forward a consolidation to HQ Second Aust Army.
(iii) Indents for replacement issues of controlled stores will be submitted to DDOS Vic L of C Area who will submit direct to LHQ, except in the case of training units, when the indent will be referred to Army HQ.

(c) Vehicles.

(i) Total holdings of all Second Aust Army Units will be co-ordinated by Army HQ. In the case of vehicles surplus to entitlements and such technical vehicles as are in short supply, Issue Orders will be obtained from LHQ by Army HQ.
(ii) Army HQ will advise DDOS Vic L of C Area of any action taken in regard to vehicle holdings of units

(d) Ammunition Returns

(i) Units will submit returns to DDOS or DADOS.
(ii) DDOS or DADOS will consolidate and distribute in accordance with GR 212/43, and forward one additional copy to HQ Second Aust Army.

(e) Excess Holdings

Requests for excess holdings of stores will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army.

UNIT EQUIPMENT INSPECTOR

19. Unit Equipment Inspector Vic L of J Area will inspect Units of Second Aust Army located in Vic L of J Area and will report direct to HQ Second Aust Army in accordance with MGO memo B127 of 31 Dec 44.

UNIT STOCKTAKINGS AND CHECKING OF S RECORDS AND CLOSURE OF ACCOUNTS

20. (a) Unit Stores Accounts Section Vic Det will be responsible for continuous checking of units of Second Aust Army in Vic L of J Area in accordance with LHQ memo S.421 of 13 Jan 45.

(b) Unit Stocktakings

(i) Units will submit stocktakings to HQ Vic L of J Area who will check documentation and forward to
(a) Unit Stores Accounts Section Vic Detachment, if correct, or
(b) Return to Unit if documentation is NOT correct.

(ii) Unit Stores Accounts Section Vic Detachment will check figures and conduct a percentage check of stock.
(iii) Unit Stores Accounts Section Vic Detachment will after pricing discrepancies forward report of check to HQ Vic L of J Area with their recommendations for:-
(a) Provisional adjustment or
(b) Return to Unit for further action, or
(c) Further investigation by HQ Vic L of J Area.
(iv) When action detailed above has been completed, HQ Vic L of J Area will approve of Provisional adjusting vouchers.
(v) (a) HQ Vic L of J Area will forward No.3 copies of AAFs P46 to the Chief Auditor Vic L of J Area in accordance with GRO 295/44 para 15(b) and where necessary will obtain audit concurrence to the adjustment of the discrepancies.
(b) On completion of the action detailed in para (a) above the file will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army for financial adjustment.
(vi) HQ Second Aust Army will take any disciplinary action considered necessary.
(vii) After financial adjustment has been obtained HQ Second Aust Army will return file to HQ Vic L of J Area.

(c) Closure of Accounts

(i) Units when instructed to close their accounts, will return unit ledger and all supporting vouchers and documents to Officer i/c Unit Stores Accounts Section Vic Detachment, 31 Flinder's Lane Melbourne. A "Q" representative from the Unit will be required to report with these documents to enable agreement to be reached regarding final discrepancies.

(ii) After completion of the above, action as outlined in paras b(iii) to b(viii) inclusive will be taken.

AMIE

21. HQ Vic L of C Area is responsible for all workshop services to units of Second Aust Army in Vic L of C Area and arrangements in regard thereto will be made direct between units and HQ Vic L of C Area. Matters of policy will be referred to AHQ for direction where necessary by units.

SERVICE REPRESENTATIVES

22. For the purpose of maintaining liaison between AHQ, units and HQ L of C Area concerned, officers of the various services are provided on AHQ. These Officers will not exercise any executive functions other than with regard to technical units remaining under comd AHQ, but will carry out purely liaison duties. Officers will visit units of Second Aust Army in Vic L of C Area from time to time and report thereon to AHQ and HQ Vic L of C Area as necessary.

23. All previous instructions regarding adm arrangements for Units of this Formation situated in Vic L of C Area are cancelled.

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DISTRIBUTION

Vic L of C Area	(20)	3 Aust MT Trg Depot	(2)
Fixed Defences Vic	(8)	2 Aust Tech Trg Centre (Vic)	(2)
Aust Central Sig Trg Depot	(8)	3 Aust Army Trades Trg Depot	(2)
1 AASC Trg Bn	(2)	Second Aust Army Junior Leaders School	(2)
2 AAMC Trg Bn	(2)	Branches and Services	
1 AAOC Trg Bn	(2)	Spares	(20)
1 AAEC Trg Coy	(2)		

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(adapted.)

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Unit HQ SECOND AUST ARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 Jun *To* 1000 hrs 30 Jun 45

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			'Q' STAFF AS AT 30 JUN 45	
			AQMG Lt-Col A G Hague DAQMG I Maj W McMahon	
			DAQMG II Maj J D H Arnott SCI Capt Campbell A H	
			SCII Capt J Routh SCIII Capt K W Cummins	
			SCIV Capt A Gosper	
	15 Jun 45		Amendment No 1 to Second Aust Army Adm Instr 346 - Mov of 320 Aust LAD - Q4399 223/13/23	
	20 Jun 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 352 - Move of 8 Aust Mech Eqpt Coy Q5220 223/15/9.	
	20 Jun 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 353 - Move of 211 Aust LAD - Q5221 223/15/9	
	20 Jun 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 354 - Mov of 11 Aust Pigeon Sec (Type A) - Q5222 223/5/14	
	21 Jun 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 351 - Mov of 6 Pl - 1 Aust Port Maint Coy Q5219 223/4/31	
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AMENDMENT NO. 1
to
SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR NO. 346
MOV OF 320 AUST L.A.D

1. Second Aust Army Adm Instr 343 of 7 May 45 will be amended as follows :-

(a) Delete paras 1 (a), (b) and 2 (a).

Substitute :

"1. (a) Authority for move Landforces SD 44287 of 11 Jun 45.

(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD11420 of 12 Jun 45 the above unit will prepare to move to Qld at an early date to be advised. On arrival unit will be under Comd Qld L of C Area for onward movement at WE Strength.

2. (a) Unit will move at present strength. "

(b) Delete 12 Aust L of C Sigs wherever appearing.

Substitute : 320 Aust L.A.D.

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NSW L of C Area		2-3	Accounts Sec		22
ADDS NSW L of C Area	4		War Diary		23-24
DDOS NSW L of C Area	5-6		File		25-26
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GS(SD)		9-10			
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AAG		12-13			
AQMG		14			
Mil Sec		15			
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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 352
MOV OF 8 AUST MECH EQPT COY

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD45028 of 13 Jun 45.
   (b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD11584 of 14 Jun 45, the above coy will prepare to embark for tropical service NOT before 1 Jul 45.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Coy will move at WE strength.
   (b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
   (c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
   (d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the units prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
   (e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4. (a) Personal Arms and Eqpt will be taken.
   (i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale B)
   (ii) Jungle green will be issued.
   (iii) 10% AG Eqpt only will be taken.
   (b) Unit Eqpt
   WET Scale (Tropical) will be taken.
   (c) Vehs - incl Mech Eqpt
   WE Scale will be taken.
   (d) Inspection of Weapons and Vehs
   (i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
   (ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons and vehs are in good condition prior to mov.
   (e) Accn Stores
   (i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
   (ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1a at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
   (f) Inspection of Tentage
   (i) In case of units who have had tentage in use in this area and there is any doubt as to serviceability, Unit will advise DDOS NSW L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.
   (ii) DDOS NSW L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.

(g) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with NSW L of C Area unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 1 Jul 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res & Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.
(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army RO Q80/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for tps in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.
(c) Voyage Expense Stores will be drawn from supply depot.
(d) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 1 Jul 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 1 Jul 45.
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PROGRESS REPORTS

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 353
MOV OF 211 [illegible] LAD

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 45028 of 13 Jun 45.
   (b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD 11585 of 15 Jun 45, the above unit will prepare to embark for tropical service NOT before 1 Jul 45.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Unit will move at WE strength.
   (b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
   (c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
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   WET Scale (Tropical) will be taken.
   (c) Vehs
   WE Scale will be taken.
   (d) Inspection of Weapons and Vehs
   (i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
   (ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons and vehicles are in good condition prior to mov.
   (e) Accn Stores
   (i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
   (ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
   (f) Inspection of Tentage
   (i) In case of units who have had tentage in use in this area and there is any doubt as to serviceability, Unit will advise DDOS NSW L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.
   (ii) DDOS NSW L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.
   (g) Stationery
   In accordance with arrangements with NSW L of C Area, units will advise appropriate stationery officer by 1 Jul 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer NSW L of C Area will

effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res & Emergency Ration. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army RO Q80/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for ops in tropical areas will be drawn.

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) Voyage Expense Stores will be drawn from supply depot.

(d) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 1 Jul 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 3[illegible]3/45

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 1 Jul 45.

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all ammn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comm and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. 211 Aust IAD will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 30 Jun 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Reports pro forma attached.

ACK - first addressee only.

[illegible] Maj.
.....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

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211 Aust IAD	1-5		Millsec	29	
First Aust Army	6-10		Chaplains		30-32
NSW L of C Area	11-15		S & T	33-34	
ADDS NSW L of C Area	16		Med	35	
DDOS NSW L of C Area	17-18		Ord	36-37	
DFO NSW L of C Area		19	AEME	38-39	
DRO NSW L of C Area		20	Catering		40
GS(I)		21	Sal		41
GS(SD)		22-23	Unit Stores Accounts Sec		42-43
DA&QMG		24	File		44-47
A		25-26	War Diary		48-49
Q		27-28	Spares		50-53

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DATE 20 JUN 45

SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 354
MOV OF 11 AUST PIGEON SEC (TYPE A)

INFN

1 (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD46139 of 18 Jun 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD11222 of 19 Jun 45, the above sec, will prepare to move to Queensland at an early date to be advised. On arrival under Comd Qld L of C Area.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Sec will move at strength at time of move.

(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO A350/44, as amended.

(c) The provisions of GRO A321/45 will be complied with.

(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.

(e) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name.
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4 (a) Personal Arms & Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale A).
(ii) Jungle Green will NOT be issued.
(iii) 10% AG Eqpt only will be taken.

(b) Unit Eqpt MET scale (Tropical) will be taken.

(c) Vehs will NOT be taken.

(d) Inspection of Weapons
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons are in good condition prior to mov.

(e) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate GI or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(f) Inspection of Tentage
(i) In case of units who have had tentage in use in this

area and there is any doubt as to serviceability, Unit will advise DDOS Vic L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.

(ii) DDOS Vic L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.

(c) Stationery

In accordance with arrangements with Vic L of C Area, unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 27 Jun 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer Vic L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res & Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one days emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army HO 980/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for tps in tropical areas will be drawn.

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A521/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 27 Jun 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS Vic L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 28 Jun 45.

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2 (b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8 (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8 (b), unit consorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. Aust Central Sig Trg Depot will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 27 Jun 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma.

ACK - first addressee only

Brig
(C E PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION	Copy No For Action	Copy No For Info		Copy No For Action	Copy No For Info
Aust Central Sig Trg Depot	1 - 5		Mil Sec	38	
Qld L of C Area	6 -10		Chaplains		39-41
NSW L of C Area		11-15	S & T	42-43	
Vic L of C Area	16 - 20		Med	44	
ADDS Vic L of C Area	21		Ord	45-46	
DDOS Vic L of C "	22 - 23		ADEME	47	
DFO Qld L of C Area		24	Sal		48
DFO NSW L of C Area		25	Catering		49
DFO Vic L of C Area		26	USAS		50
DRO Qld L of C Area		27	Mile		51 -54
DRO Vic L of C Area		28	War Diary		55 -56
GS (1)		29	Spares		57 -60
GS (SD)		30- 31			
Stores		32			
DADOS		33			
A		34- 35			
Q		36- 37			

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21 Jun 45

SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 351
MOV OF 6 PL - 1 AUST PORT MAINT COY

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD45915 of 16 Jun 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD11746 of 18 Jun 45, the above pl will prepare to move to Brisbane (at an early date to be advised) under Comd Qld L of C Area on arrival.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Pl will move at strength at time of move.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44, as amended.
(c) The provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of Offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name.
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4. (a) Personal Arms & Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order Clo Gen 1 (Scale A).
(ii) Jungle Green will NOT be issued.
(iii) 10% AG Eqpt only will be taken.

(b) Unit Eqpt held at time of mov will be taken.

(c) Vehs Vehicles will be provided under arrangements with Qld L of C Area on arrival. Vehicles will not be taken.

(d) Inspection of Weapons
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons are in good condition prior to mov.

(e) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on Fl and Fl(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(f) Inspection of Tentage
(i) In case of units who have had tentage in use in this area and there is any doubt as to serviceability, Unit will advise DDOS NSW L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.
(ii) DDOS NSW L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.

(g) Stationery

In accordance with arrangements with NSW L of C Area, unit will advise appropriate stationery Officer by 28 Jun 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery Officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res & Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army RO Q80/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for tps in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 28 Jun 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for Army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/45

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army forthwith.

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. 1 Aust Port Maint Coy will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 28 Jun 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached)

ACK - first addressee only

Lt Aust Maj

..... Brig
(C E PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

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1 Aust Port Maint Coy	1 - 5		Q		29-30
Qld L of C Area		6 - 10	Mil Sec	31	
NSW L of C Area		11 - 14	Chaplains		32
ADDS NSW L of C Area	15		S & T	33-34	
DDOS NSW L of C Area	16 -17		Med	35	
DFO Qld L of C Area		18	Ord	36-37	
DFO NSW L of C Area		19	AEME	38	
DRO Qld L of C Area		20	Unit Stores		
DRO NSW L of C Area		21	Accounts Sec		39
GS (I)		22	Catering		40
GS (SD)		23 - 24	Sal		41
Engrs		25	War Diary		42-43
DA&QMG		26	File		44-47
A		27 - 28	Spares		48-50

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Unit HQ SECOND AUST ARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 Jul *To* 1000 hrs 31 Jul 43

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			'Q' STAFF AS AT 31 JUL 45	
			AQMG Lt-Col A.G. Hague DAQMG 1 Maj W. McMahon DAQMG 11 Maj J.D.H. Arnott SC1 Capt A.H. Campbell SC11 Capt J. Routh SC111 Capt H.A. Stroud SC1V Capt A. Gosper	
	2 Jul 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr.355 - Mov of three type 'A' dets 1 Aust Broadcasting Sta Maint Sec - Q6369 223/5/17	
	3 Jul 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 356 - Mov of 2 Aust BD Pl - Q6603 223/4/39	
	3 Jul 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 357 - Mov of 11 Aust Small Ships Copy (Less Det mov MORATAI - Q6604 223/4/36	
	11 Jul 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 358 - Mov of 1 Pl - 1 Aust Port Maint Coy - Q7443 223/4/16	
	21 Jul 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 359 - Mov of 1 Aust Arty Sig Tp 4 Aust Arty Sig Tp; 5 Aust Arty Sig Tp - Q8643 223/5/22	
			A G Hague Lt.-Col. AQMG SECOND AUST ARMY	

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 355
MOV OF THREE TYPE "A" DETS 1 AUST BROADCASTING STA MAINT SEC

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 49532 of 27 Jun 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD 12700 of 28 Jun 45, the above dets will prepare to move to BRISBANE at an early date to be advised under Comd Q'land L of C Area on arrival for on move First Aust Army.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Dets will move at strength at time of move.

(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44, as amended.

(c) The provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.

(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.

(e) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name.
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4. (a) Personal Arms & Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order No. 2 (Scale B).
(ii) Jungle Green will be issued in State of embarkation.
(iii) Attention is drawn to MGO Eqpt Order No.2 Note D. Action will be taken prior to embarkation.

(b) Unit Eqpt (WET scale (Tropical) will be taken

(c) Vehs WE scale will be issued by Q'land L of C Area.

(d) Inspection of Weapons
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons are in good condition prior to mov.

(e) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage, will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(f) Inspection of Tentage
(i) In case of units who have had tentage in use in this area and there is any doubt as to serviceability Unit will advise DDOS Vic L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.

(ii) DDOS Vic L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.

(g) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with Vic L of C Area, unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 10 Jul 45 details of non-expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer Vic L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res & Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army RO Q80/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.
(i) Scale for tps in tropical areas will be drawn.
(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 18, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 14 Jul 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS Vic L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army forthwith

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro Forma will in addition specify weight of all ammn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. Aust Central Sig Trg Depot will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 10 Jul 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma

ACK - first addressee only

[signature] BRIG
for (C E PRIOR)
DA&QMG SECOND AUST ARMY

DISTRIBUTION

	Copy No For Action	Copy No For Infm		Copy No For Action	Copy No For Infm
Aust Central Sig Trg Dep	1-5		A		29-30
First Aust Army	6-10		Q		31-32
Vic L of C Area	11-15		Mil Sec	33	
ADDS Vic L of C Area	16		Chaplains		34-36
DDOS Vic L of C Area	17-18		Sig	37-38	
DFO Qld L of C Area		19	Med	39	
DFO NSW L of C Area		20	Ord	40-41	
DFO Vic L of C Area		21	AEME	42	
DRO Qld L of C Area		22	Catering		43
DRO Vic L of C Area		23	Sal		44
GS(Int)		24	USAS		45-46
GS(SD)		25-26	File		47-50
Sigs		27	War Diary		51-52
DA&QMG		28	3 Spares		53-56

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 356
MOV OF 2 AUST ED PL

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 50511 of 30 Jun 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD 12886 of 2 Jul 45. the above pl will prepare to move to BRISBANE at an early date to be advised under Comd QLD L OF C AREA on arrival for onmove FIRST AUST ARMY.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Pl will move at present strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44, as amended.
(c) The provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:-

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name.
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4. (a) Personal Arms and Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order No. 2 (Scale B).
(ii) Jungle Green will be issued in State of embarkation.
(iii) AG Eqpt will NOT be taken.

(b) Unit Eqpt
JET scale (Tropical) will be taken.

(c) Vehicles
ME scale will be taken.

(d) Inspection of Weapons and Vehs
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons and vehs are in good condition prior to mov.

(e) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on Pl and Pl(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

(f) Inspection of Tentage
(i) In case of units who have had tentage in use in this area and there is any doubt as to serviceability, Unit will advise DDOS NSW L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.
(ii) DDOS NSW L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.

(g) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with NSW L of C Area, unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 9 Jul 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer

NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res & Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army RO Q80/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for tps in tropical areas will be drawn.

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 9 Jul 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army forthwith.

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. 2 AUST BD PL will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 9 Jul 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma, attached.

ACK - first addressee only.

.....Brig

(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

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2 Aust BD Pl	1-2		Mil Sec	34	
First Aust Army	3-7		Chaplains		35-37
QLD L of C Area	8-12		S & T	38-39	
NSW L of C Area	13-17		Med	40	
ADDS NSW L of C Area	18		Ord	41-42	
DDOS NSW L of C Area	19-20		AEME	43	
DFO QLD L of C Area		21	Catering		44
DFO NSW L of C Area		22	Sal		45
DRO QLD L of C Area		23	Unit Stores Accounts Section		46-47
DRO NSW L of C Area		24	Camp		48-49
GS(Int)		25	File		50-53
GS(SD)		26-27	War Diary		54-55
Engrs		28	Spares		56-59
DA&QMG		29			
A		30-31			
Q		32-33			

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 556
MOV OF 2 AUST BD PL

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 50511 of 30 Jun 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD 12886 of 2 Jul 45, the above pl will prepare to move to BRISBANE at an early date to be advised under Comd QLD L OF C AREA on arrival for onmove FIRST AUST ARMY.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Pl will move at present strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with the provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44, as amended.
(c) The provisions of GRO A281/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with the provisions of sub para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details.

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name.
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any who do does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4. (a) Personal Arms and Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order No. 2 (Scale B).
(ii) Jungle Green will be issued in State of embarkation.
(iii) AG Eqpt will NOT be taken.
(b) Unit Eqpt
WET scale (Tropical) will be taken.
(c) Vehicles
WE scale will be taken.
(d) Inspection of Weapons and Vehs
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons and vehs are in good condition prior to mov.
(e) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on Pl and Pl(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(f) Inspection of Tentage
(i) In case of units who have had tentage in use in this area and there is any doubt as to serviceability, Unit will advise DDOS NSW L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.
(ii) DDOS NSW L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.
(g) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with NSW L of C Area, unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 9 Jul 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer

NSW L of C Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res & Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army RO Q80/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for tps in tropical areas will be drawn.

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of OC.

(c) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 9 Jul 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L OF C AREA will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army forthwith.

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 371/44 para 8(b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. 2 AUST BD PL will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 9 Jul 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma, attached.

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.....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

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2 Aust BD Pl	1-2		Mil Sec	34	
First Aust Army	3-7		Chaplains		35-37
QLD L of C Area	8-12		S & T	38-39	
NSW L of C Area	13-17		Med	40	
ADDS NSW L of C Area	18		Ord	41-42	
DDOS NSW L of C Area	19-20		AEME	43	
DFO QLD L of C Area		21	Catering		44
DFO NSW L of C Area		22	Sal		45
DRO QLD L of C Area		23	Unit Stores Accounts Section		46-47
DRO NSW L of C Area		24			
GS(Int)		25	Camp		48-49
GS(SD)		26-27	File		50-53
Engrs		28	War Diary		54-55
DA&QMG		29	Spares		56-59
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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 358
MOV OF 1 PL - 1 AUST PORT MAINT COY

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 49475 of 27 Jun 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD12714 of 28 Jun 45, the above pl will prepare to move to BRISBANE at an early date to be advised under Comd HQ QLD L OF C AREA on arrival.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Pl will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for mov in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the Pl prior to mov without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for mov will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:-

Army No,
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4. (a) Personal Arms and Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order No.3 (Scale A).
(ii) Jungle Green will NOT be issued.
(iii) AG Eqpt will NOT be taken.
(b) Unit Eqpt
WE Scale (Tropical) will be taken.
(c) Vehs
WE Scale will be taken.
(d) Inspection of Weapons and Vehs
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons and vehs are in good condition prior to mov.
(e) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on Fl and Fl(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(f) Inspection of Tentage
(i) Unit will advise Unit Eqpt Inspector NSW L OF C AREA when tentage is available for inspection.
(ii) Unit Eqpt Inspector NSW L OF C AREA will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.
(g) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA, unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 19 Jul 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer NSW L of C

Area will effect whatever adjustments to staticnery records are necessary and advise staticnery officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res and Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army RO Q80/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for tps in tropical areas will be drawn

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of CC.

(c) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 19 Jul 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 313/45

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 19 Jul 45.

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 571/44 para 5(b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. 1 Aust Port Maint Coy will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 19 Jul 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma attached.

ACK - first addressee only

.....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

	Copy No. For Action	Copy No. For Info		Copy No. For Action	Copy No. For Info
1 Aust Port Maint Coy	1-5		Milsec	37	
First Aust Army	6-10		Chaplains		38-40
Qld L of C Area	11-15		S & T	41-42	
NSW L of C Area	16-20		Med	43	
ADDS NSW L of C Area	21		Ord	44-45	
DDOS NSW L of C Area	22		AMF	46	
DFO QLD L of C Area		23	Catering		47
DFO NSW L of C Area		24	Sal		48
DRO QLD L of C Area		25	Unit Stores		
DRO NSW L of C Area		26	Accounts Sec		49-50
BGS		27	File		51-54
GS(Int)		28	War Diary		55-56
GS(SD)		29-30	Spares		57-60
Engrs		31			
DA&QMG		32			
A		33-34			
Q		35-36			

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 358
MOV OF 1 PL - 1 AUST PORT MAINT COY

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 49475 of 27 Jun 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD12714 of 28 Jun 45, the above pl will prepare to move to BRISBANE at an early date to be advised under Comd HQ QLD L OF C AREA on arrival.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Pl will move at WE strength.
(b) All personnel will be prepared for mov in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the Pl prior to mov without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for mov will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:-
Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4. (a) Personal Arms and Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order No.2 (Scale A).
(ii) Jungle Green will NOT be issued.
(iii) AG Eqpt will NOT be taken.
(b) Unit Eqpt
WEF Scale (Tropical) will be taken.
(c) Vehs
WE Scale will be taken.
(d) Inspection of Weapons and Vehs
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons and vehs are in good condition prior to mov.
(e) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "A" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on Fl and Fl(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(f) Inspection of Tentage
(i) Unit will advise Unit Eqpt Inspector NSW L OF C AREA when tentage is available for inspection.
(ii) Unit Eqpt Inspector NSW L OF C AREA will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.
(g) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with NSW L OF C AREA, unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 19 Jul 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO 224/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer NSW L of C

Area will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery officer at destination through Service channels.

AASC SUPS

5. (a) Res and Emergency Rations. Unit will draw and account for two days' res rations in addition to one day's emergency ration on the man.

(b) Expense Stores will be drawn in accordance with scales published in Second Aust Army RO Q80/45 as amended and packed ready for mov.

(i) Scale for tps in tropical areas will be drawn

(ii) Water sterilising outfits, insect repellants, anti-mite fluid and anti-malarial items as per GRO A321/44 para 16, will be carried but issued only upon authority of CC.

(c) Certificate of compliance with this para will be forwarded to reach HQ Second Aust Army NOT later than 19 Jul 45.

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/45

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army on or before 19 Jul 45.

(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ SECOND AUST ARMY as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all ammunition and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. (a) The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

(b) In accordance with GRO 373/44 para 3(b), unit censorship will be applied as from the receipt of this order.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. 1 Aust Port Maint Coy will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 19 Jul 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma attached.

ACK - first addressee only

.....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

	Copy No. For Action	Copy No. For Info		Copy No. For Action	Copy No. For Info
1 Aust Port Maint Coy	1-5		Milsec	37	
First Aust Army	6-10		Chaplains		38-40
Qld L of C Area	11-15		S & T	41-42	
NSW L of C Area	16-20		Med	43	
ADDS NSW L of C Area	21		Ord	44-45	
DDOS NSW L of C Area	22		AEME	46	
DFO QLD L of C Area		23	Catering		47
DFO NSW L of C Area		24	Sal		48
DRO QLD L of C Area		25	Unit Stores Accounts Sec		49-50
DRO NSW L of C Area		26	File		51-54
BGS		27	War Diary		55-56
GS(Int)		28	Spares		57-60
GS(SD)		29-30			
Engrs		31			
DA&QMG		32			
A		33-34			
Q		35-36			

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(adapted.)

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Unit HQ SECOND AUST ARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 Aug *To* 1000 hrs 31 Aug 45

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			"Q" STAFF AS AT 31 AUG 45	
			AQMG Lt-Col A.G. Hague DAQMG 1 Maj W. McMahon DAQMG 11 Maj J.D.H. Arnott SC1 Capt A.H. Campbell SC11 Capt J. Routh SC111 Capt H.A. Stroud SC1V Capt A. Gosper	
	20 Aug 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 360 - Mov of 5 Aust Army Tps Coy QX12065	
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[signature]
SC "Q" (Maint) Second Aust Army

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit HQ SECOND AUST ARMY *Date and Time.—From* 1000 hrs 1 Sep *To* 100 hrs 30 Sep 45

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
PARRAMATTA			'Q' STAFF AS AT 30 SEP 45	
			AQMG Lt-Col A.G. Hague	
			~~DAQMG I~~ Maj W. McMahon	
			DAQMG II Maj J. Silverstone	
			SCI Capt A.H. Campbell	
			SCII Capt C.D. Burns	
			SCIII Capt K.W. Cummins	
			SCIV Capt A. Gosper	
	17 Sep 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 363 - Mov of 1 Pl 1 Port Maint Coy - Q14522	
	17 Sep 45		Second Aust Army Adm Instr 362 - Mov of 2/2 Aust Port ~~Op~~ Coy - Q14521	

J. Silverstone MAJOR
DAQMG SECOND AUST ARMY

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DATE 17 SEP 45

SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 363
MOV OF 1 PL 1 PORT MAINT COY

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD45089 of 12 Sep 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD16949 of 13 Sep 45, the above pl will prepare to mov to Darwin at an early date to be advis ed under Comd Norforce on arrival.

PERSONNEL

2. (a) Units will mov at WE strength.

(b) Long service personnel will be withdrawn from units prior to movement in accordance with Second Aust Army A9594 of 25 Jul 45.
(c) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(d) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(e) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(f) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name.
Name of parent unit,
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT mov with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4. (a) Personal Arms & Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order No 2 (Scale B).
(ii) Jungle Green will NOT be issued
(b) Unit Eqpt WET scale will NOT be taken.
(c) Vehs WE scale will NOT be taken.
(d) Inspection of Weapons
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons are in good condition prior to mov.
(e) Accn Stores
(i) Accn Stores incl tentage will NOT be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

POSTAL SERVICES

5. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

6. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army forthwith.
(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the mov are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

7. The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

PROGRESS REPORTS

8. (a) 1 Aust Port Maint Coy will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 18 Sep 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma attached.

(b) A certificate will be submitted to HQ Second Aust Army by the CO not more than 24 hours prior to move certifying that 1 Pl 1 Port Maint Coy is fully equipped or stating deficiencies.

ACK - First addressee only.

for J Silverstone Brig Maj
(C E PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

	Copy No for Action	Copy No for Infm		Copy No for Action	Copy No for Infm
1 Aust Port Maint Coy	(5)		A		(2)
SA L of C Area	(5)		Q		(2)
NSW L of C Area	(5)		Milsec	(1)	
Vic L of C Area	(5)		Chaplains		(3)
ADDS NSW L of C Area	(1)		S & T	(2)	
DDOS NSW L of C Area	(2)		Med	(1)	
DFO NSW L of C Area		(1)	Ord	(2)	
DFO VIC L of C Area		(1)	AEME	(1)	
DRO NSW L of C Area		(1)	Catering		(1)
DRO VIC L of C Area		(1)	Sal		(1)
BGS		(1)	USAS		(2)
GS(Int)		(1)	File		(4)
GS(SD)		(2)	War Diary		(2)
DA&QMG		(1)	Spares		(4)

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 362
MOV OF 2/2 AUST PORT OP COY

INFM
1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD75089 of 12 Sep 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD16949 of 13 Sep 45, the above coy will prepare to move to DARWIN at an early date to be advis ed under Comd Norforce on arrival.

PERSONNEL
2. (a) Units will move at WE strength.
(b) Long Service personnel will be withdrawn from units prior to movement in accordance with Second Aust Army A9594 of 25 Jul 45.
(c) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army MO A360/44.
(d) Provisions of GRO A321/43 will be complied with.
(e) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the unit prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(f) Certificate of compliance with provisions of sub-para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.

POSTING OF OFFRS
3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:
Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name.
Name of parent unit.
Explanatory note of any offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT
4. (a) Personal Arms & Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order No 2 (Scale B).
(ii) Jungle Green will NOT be issued.
(iii) AG Eqpt will NOT be taken.
(b) Unit Eqpt WET scale will NOT be taken.
(c) Vehs WE Scale will NOT be taken.
(d) Inspection of Weapons
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons are in good condition prior to mov.
(e) (i) Accn Stores incl tentage will NOT be taken
(ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.

POSTAL SERVICES
5. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43
6. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army forthwith.
(b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

7. The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comns and conversations.

PROGRESS REPORTS

8. (a) Aust Port Op Service Trg Coy will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 18 Sep 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma attached.

(b) A Certificate will be submitted to HQ Second Aust Army by the CO NOT more than 24 hrs prior to mov certifying that 2/2 Aust Port Op Coy is fully equipped or stating deficiencies.

ACK - First addressee only.

for Brig
(C E PRICE)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

DISTRIBUTION

	Copy No For Action	Copy No for Infm		Copy No for Action	Copy No for Infm
Aust Port Op Service Trg Coy	(5)		S		(2)
SA L of C Area	(5)		Milsec		(1)
NSW L of C Area	(5)		Chaplains		(3)
Vic L of C Area	(5)		S & T		(2)
ADDS NSW L of C Area	(1)		Med		(1)
DDOS NSW L of C Area	(2)		Ord		(2)
DFO NSW L of C Area		(1)	AEME		(1)
DRO NSW L OF C AREA		(1)	Catering		(1)
BGS		(1)	Sal		(1)
GS(Int)		(1)	USAS		(2)
(SD)		(2)	File		(4)
DA&QMG		(1)	War Diary		(2)
A		(2)	Spares		(4)

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SECOND AUST ARMY ADM INSTR 360
MOV OF 5 AUST ARMY TPS COY

INFM

1. (a) Authority for Mov - Landforces SD 64487 of 18 Aug 45.
(b) In accordance with Second Aust Army SD 15441 of 18 Aug 45, the above coy will prepare to move to SYDNEY to arrive NOT later than 24 Aug 45, to embark for tropical service.

PERSONNEL

2.(a) Coy will move at WE Strength,
(b) All personnel will be prepared for movement in accordance with provisions of Second Aust Army RO A360/44.
(c) Provisions of GRO A321/45 will be complied with.
(d) No transfers of personnel will be effected from the units prior to movement without authority from HQ Second Aust Army.
(e) Certificate of compliance with sub para (b) will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army before arrangements for movement will be made.
(f) Attention is drawn in particular to Second Aust Army Signal SD15442 of 18 Aug regarding embarkation of personnel with four years service.

POSTING OF OFFRS

3. A nominal roll of offrs will be forwarded to this HQ and will include the following details:

Army No.
Substantive and present temporary rank.
Name
Name of parent unit
Explanatory note of any Offr who does NOT move with Unit.

STORES AND EQPT

4.(a) Personal Arms and Eqpt will be taken.
(i) Clothing and necessaries will be issued in accordance with MGO Eqpt Order No.2 (Scale "B").
(ii) Jungle Green will be issued.
(iii) AC Eqpt will NOT be taken.
(b) Unit Eqpt WE scale will be taken.
(c) Vehs present hold will be taken.
(d) Inspection of Weapons and Vehs
(i) Unit will advise Second Aust Army when available for inspection.
(ii) DADME will ensure that all weapons and vehs are in good condition prior to mov.
(e) Accn Stores
(i) Scale "B" Accn Stores incl tentage will be taken.
(ii) Accn Stores held on F1 and F1(a) at present location will be returned to appropriate QM or Ord Depot prior to departure, and any deficiencies finalised.
(f) Inspection of Tentage
(i) Unit will advise Unit Eqpt Inspector NSW L of C Area when tentage is available for inspection.
(ii) Unit Eqpt Inspector NSW L of C Area will arrange inspection and ensure that all tentage is suitable for use in tropical areas.
(g) Stationery
In accordance with arrangements with NSW L of C Area, unit will advise appropriate stationery officer by 25 Aug 45 details of non expendable office requisites as per GRO284/44 which are being taken. Stationery Officer NSW L of C Area

will effect whatever adjustments to stationery records are necessary and advise stationery officer at destination through Service Channels.

AASC SUPS

5. SEE APPENDIX "A" (NOT to all addressees).

POSTAL SERVICES

6. ADAPS NSW L of C Area will arrange for army and personal mail to be redirected.

PARTICULARS REQUIRED BY GRO 318/43

7. (a) Will be despatched by signal to reach HQ Second Aust Army forthwith.
   (b) Two copies of pro forma required vide para 2(b) of the GRO will be forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army as soon as details of the move are firm. Pro forma will in addition specify weight of all amn and explosives NOT carried on the man.

SECURITY

8. The attention of all ranks whose duties entail adm action in preparation for mov is directed to the necessity for discretion in comms and conversations.

PROGRESS REPORTS

9. (a) 5 AUST ARMY TPS COY will report to HQ Second Aust Army by 2 Aug 45 and weekly thereafter as per Progress Report pro forma (attached).
   (b) A certificate will be submitted to HQ Second Aust Army by the CO NOT more than 24 hrs prior to move certifying that 5 AUST ARMY TPS COY is fully equipped or stating deficiencies.

ACK - First Addressee only.

.....Brig
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA&QMG Second Aust Army

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First Aust Army	6-10	
1 Aust Corps	11-15	
NSW L of C Area	16-20	
ADDS NSW L of C Area	21	
DDOS NSW L of C Area	22-23	
DFO NSW L OF C Area		24
DRO QLD L OF C Area		25
DRO NSW L OF C Area		26
DRO VIC L OF C Area		27
BGS		28
GS(INT)		29
GS(SD)		30-31
ENGRS		32
DA&QMG		33
A		34-35
Q		36-37

	Copy No. For Action	Copy No. For Infm
Milsec	38	
Chaplains		39-41
S & T (Appx A)	42-43	
Med	44	
Ord	45-46	
AEME	47	
Catering		48
Sal		49
Unit Stores Accounts Sec		50-51
File		52-55
War Diary		56-57
Spares		58-61