

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF DALLAS

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Dallas, Texas, February 7, 1944

To Banking Institutions, and Others Concerned,
in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District:

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued the following general license and press statement relative thereto:

"GENERAL LICENSE NO. 32A UNDER EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 8389, as amended, Executive Order No. 9193, Section 5 (b) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended by the First War Powers Act, 1941, relating to Foreign Funds Control.*

(1) **Certain remittances to Sicily for living expenses authorized.** A general license is hereby granted authorizing remittances by any individual through any domestic bank to any individual within Sicily, and any domestic bank is authorized to effect such remittances, provided the following terms and conditions are complied with:

(a) Such remittances are made only for the necessary living expenses of the payee and his household;

(b) If the payee is not a citizen of the United States, the total of all remittances to such payee and his household effected in any three-month period under this general license may not exceed \$100;

(c) If the payee is a citizen of the United States, the total of all remittances to such payee and his household effected in any one calendar month under this general license may not exceed \$75, except that additional sums not exceeding \$25 in any one calendar month may be remitted for each member of such payee's household in addition to the payee who is a citizen of the United States, provided that in no case shall a sum in excess of \$150 per calendar month be remitted to any such payee and his household;

(d) Such remittances are not made from a blocked account other than from an account in a banking institution within the United States in the name of, or in which the beneficial interest is held by, a citizen of the United States who is the payee or a member of his household; and

(e) Such remittances are effected only by the payment of the dollar amount of the remittance to a domestic bank for credit to a post-liberation blocked account in the name of "Bank of Sicily, Account AF."

(2) **Duty of individuals and domestic banks acting under this license.** All individuals making such remittances and all domestic banks effecting such remittances shall satisfy themselves that the foregoing terms and conditions are complied with.

(3) **Reports by domestic banks effecting remittances.** Domestic banks through which any such remittances originate shall execute promptly Section A of Form TFR-132 with respect to each such remittance. When so executed, Form TFR-132 shall be forwarded promptly to the domestic bank ultimately transmitting abroad the payment instructions for such remittances and the latter bank shall, upon receipt thereof, execute Section B of Form TFR-132 and promptly file such executed report with the appropriate Federal Reserve Bank. If the domestic bank through which any such