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My immediately following telegram contains gist of a memorandum which, after consultation with me, General Alexander before his departure from Algiers sent to General Eisenhower.

- 2. The objects of this paper are:
- (a) to clarify the position in regard to Amgot in immediate post-Husky operations and
- (b) to raise certain far-reaching questions affecting military government in connexion with operation Mustang.
- 3. As regards (a) General Alexander and I consider it essential to ensure that he and Lord Rennell would continue to be responsible under the general direction of the Commander-in-Chief for the military government of all territories occupied in the immediate post-Husky period and to check any tendencies towards [grp.undec: ?separate] policymaking or planning on the part of the newly constituted military government section of A.F. headquarters.
- 4. As regards (b) the wider question of military government policy in connexion with Mustang cannot in our opinion be raised too early. I hope you will let me have your views on this far-reaching problem as soon as possible so that General Alexander can submit his further recommendations to General Eisenhower with full knowledge of the general policy of His Majesty's Government.

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