

**“J” Special Company RE**  
**Appendix No 47**

**ERVILLES**  
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**From:- O.C. J Special Company R.E.**  
**To:- C.S.C. R.E. Third Army**

**Scheme for the use of Projectors against targets N. of CHERISY**

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| 1. <u>PROJECTORS</u>        | <p>240 Heavy Projectors and 260 light Projectors are dug in at O.2.d.2.4. These projectors will be used by J Special Company R.E. and the number made up to</p> <table><tr><td>Light Projectors</td><td>250</td></tr><tr><td>Heavy Projectors</td><td>250</td></tr></table> <p>Resetting will commence as soon as possible, and a report will be made to the 34<sup>th</sup> Div when this work is completed.</p>                                                                                                                                             | Light Projectors | 250              | Heavy Projectors | 250              |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| Light Projectors            | 250                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                  |                  |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| Heavy Projectors            | 250                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                  |                  |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| 2. <u>TARGETS</u>           | <p>It is suggested to fire the 500 drums on to the following targets</p> <table><tr><td>(1)</td><td>O.26.c.8.7.</td><td>150 drums</td><td>Light Projectors</td></tr><tr><td>(2)</td><td>O.26.c.95.80</td><td>60</td><td>Light Projectors</td></tr><tr><td>(3)</td><td>O.26.d.05.70</td><td>60</td><td>Light Projectors</td></tr><tr><td>(4)</td><td>O.26.d.35.65.</td><td>125</td><td>Heavy Projectors</td></tr><tr><td>(5)</td><td>O.26.d.25.98.</td><td>125</td><td>Heavy Projectors</td></tr><tr><td></td><td>Total</td><td>500</td><td></td></tr></table> | (1)              | O.26.c.8.7.      | 150 drums        | Light Projectors | (2) | O.26.c.95.80 | 60 | Light Projectors | (3) | O.26.d.05.70 | 60 | Light Projectors | (4) | O.26.d.35.65. | 125 | Heavy Projectors | (5) | O.26.d.25.98. | 125 | Heavy Projectors |  | Total | 500 |  |
| (1)                         | O.26.c.8.7.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 150 drums        | Light Projectors |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| (2)                         | O.26.c.95.80                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 60               | Light Projectors |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| (3)                         | O.26.d.05.70                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 60               | Light Projectors |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| (4)                         | O.26.d.35.65.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 125              | Heavy Projectors |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| (5)                         | O.26.d.25.98.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 125              | Heavy Projectors |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
|                             | Total                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 500              |                  |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| 3. <u>DRUMS</u>             | <p>Drums can be placed in position in one night with Infantry assistance. The following personnel &amp; G.S. Wagons would be required:-</p> <p>20 G.S. wagons and 1 carrying party of 60 men, and 5 carrying parties of 50 men each, as detailed on the attached requisition, the date of which can be notified when resetting is complete</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                  |                  |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| 4. <u>WIND</u>              | <p>The wind limits for this operation are between S.S.W. and W.N.W.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                  |                  |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |
| 5. <u>CLEARING THE LINE</u> | <p>It is recommended that the line should be cleared from the area coloured <u>green</u> on the attached map, and that troops in the area coloured <u>red</u> should wear box respirators from Zero to Zero plus 40 minutes.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                  |                  |                  |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |              |    |                  |     |               |     |                  |     |               |     |                  |  |       |     |  |

For approval please.

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