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The Delegacy of Government was created by the Polish Government in Exile in Apr 1940. It constitutes the broad structure of civil authorities of the underground in occupied Poland. The Delegacy of Government, Deputy to the Prime Minister, and his deputies in various regions worked until 1945. They monitored the military "conspiracy" (German occupation), organized underground movement, and conducted research and investigations on the policies of the German occupiers.

Scope and Content of Collection

Contains information about the establishment, administration, financial management, and activities of several Delegacy of Government departments including the departments of Education, Labor and Welfare, Treasury, Communication, Public Works and Reconstruction, Liquidation of the Consequences of War, and National Defense during the German occupation. Also contains information about economic conditions in Warsaw during the German occupation.

System of Arrangement

The system of arrangement of the source repository has been preserved in the microfilmed reels. Arranged in seven series: 1. Department of Education; 2. Department of Labor and Public Welfare; 3. Treasury Department; 4. Department of Communication; 5. Department of Public Works and Reconstruction; 6. Department of the Liquidation of the Consequences of War; 7. Department of National Defense.

Indexing Terms

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Delegatura Rządu Rzeczypospolitej Polskiej na Kraj. Departament Pracy i Opieki Społecznej.

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	Syg.202/VII-3	Department of Education: Situational reports concerning cultural matters; quarterly report about the state of education; monthly overview of school matters; cultural and educational information; Polish actors; reports concerning libraries and archives; clippings from reports, 1941-1944.
		Department of Education: Budget; care of cultural and art objects; cultural and educational politics thesis, "How to Form Character"; publishing resolutions; outlines of introductory project of the Council of National Culture; situational report concerning the cultural section; situation of the Polish Intelligentsia (intellectuals) under German occupation, 1941-1942.
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	Syg.202/IX-1 t.1	Treasury Department: Credit and monetary memo, no date.
	Syg.202/IX-2	Treasury Department: Decrees, orders, rules, etc.; thesis and projects of government concerning financial politics; balance of the Bank Emisyjny; report on financial matters; problems of foreign exchange, 1942-1943.
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	for the Department of Communication, 1941-1943.
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	concerning communication; financial and situation reports of the
	Communication Department, 1941-1943.
Syg.202/XI-1	Department of Public Works and Reconstruction
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Syg.202/XII-t. 2	Department of the Liquidation of the Consequences of War: Notes about the state of construction work for the end of 1941; Department organizational report for the 4th quarter of 1942; cultural losses, 1941-1943.
	Department of the Liquidation of the Consequences of War: Organizational charter of the Reconstruction Department; problems of the losses and compensation of cultural objects; guidelines for project for Warsaw and Warsaw region reconstruction act, 1941-1942.
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	Department of National Defense: Instructions and orders; transmitting of armed forces organization to the Department of National Defense; organization of the adjutancy for military affairs by the Delegation of Poland, 1943.