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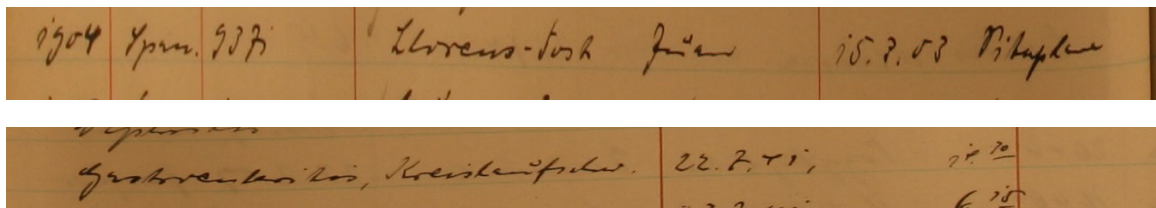
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subject: information on the deportation of *Joan Llorens Tost* to the Concentration Camp Mauthausen

Dear Mrs. Fernandez,

in response to your inquiry from March 5th 2008 the Mauthausen Memorial Archives can provide you with the following information concerning Joan Llorens Tost :



Source: Death registers Gusen (NARA RG 549)

name:	Llorens-Tost
first name:	Juan
date of birth:	15.3.[19]03
place of birth:	Vilaplana
prisoner number:	9371
category or reason given for deportation:	Span. [Red Spanish War Volunteer]*
transferred to sub-camp:	Gusen
date and place of death:	22.07.1941 in the sub-camp Gusen
given cause of death:	Gastroenteritis; Kreislaufschw.[äche] [Circulation Insufficiency]**

comment: quotations from the original sources are indicated in bold letters.

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* „**Rotspanier**“ (“Red Spanish War Volunteer”) Many Spanish Republicans who were being detained in French camps were handed over to the Secret State Police (“Gestapo”) after the

German troops had occupied northern France. The "Reichsführer-SS" Heinrich Himmler ordered that all Spanish War Volunteers were to be taken in "Protective Custody".

*** Please note that the given cause of death does not necessarily correlate with the actual reasons for the prisoner's demise.*

The Mauthausen Memorial Archives hope that this information is of any help for you.

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Für die Bundesministerin (Federal Ministry of the Interior):

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