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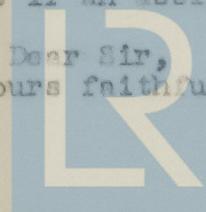
10th November 1943

Sir,

In confirmation of our telephone conversation today respecting the "LANCASHIRE" I have to acquaint you that freeboard corresponding to an all-seasons extreme draught of 6' 0" can be assigned, subject to all sidescuttles the ends of which are less than 6" above the Load Line corresponding to the centre of disc being permanently closed, and overboard scuppers and sanitary discharges, the inboard ends of which are situated in spaces below the Freeboard being provided with a crew down automatic non-return valve controlled from the freeboard deck with indicators showing whether they are open or closed.

The scantlings of the vessel are such that a draught excess of 25' could be assigned if so desired. I shall be glad to learn in due course if an assignment is required.

I am, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,



pro Secretary.

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