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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

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28th February, 1927.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of Mr. Engledow's letter of the 1st instant respecting the steamers "MIRANDELLA" and "MARIA AMELIA", and with regard thereto I have to say that your proposal to charge your travelling expenses equally between these vessels is considered satisfactory.

As regards the fee to be charged on completion of the classification survey of the steamer "MARIA AMELIA", I have to point out that this vessel is only 1750 tons gross, while the "SAUDADES", for which a fee of £250 was charged, was 3566 tons gross. As they belong to the same Owners, it is thought that the fee you suggest, viz:- £250 is somewhat high, and that one of from £175 to £200 would be more reasonable. This, of course, would be in addition to the travelling expenses incurred by you and the Lisbon Surveyor.

I shall therefore be glad if you will be guided accordingly in making your application to the Owners for the fees for the inspection of the vessel.

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

The Surveyors,

BILBAO.

Clerk to the
Classification Committee.

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