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12th May, 1958.

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Dear Mr. Wormald, S.S. "EAGLESDALE" (Tanker).

Your letter of the 9th inst. duly came to hand and your problem has been read with interest.

Normally the Notation "SS (Dr)" should have been assigned at this time, but in view of the deck plate, 'C' strake, in way of No.1 cargo tank (p.s.) being considered to be adequate only until the next Special Survey, only the Notation "SS 6,58" will be assigned, the affix letters "(Dr)" being deferred until the deck plate under review is dealt with. If this is deferred until the next Special Survey due 6,62 the Notation "SS 6,58(Dr)" can then be assigned together with the SS Notation due 6,62.

The Owner will be informed by letter the reason why the "(Dr)" has not been assigned, and an Office Note for our domestic records of the case will be carried forward on each subsequent Endorsement until dealt with.

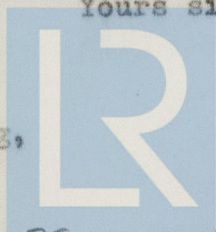
To assign the Notation "SS 6,58(Dr)" either "when the deck plate in 'C' strake has been renewed" or "subject to the deck plate in 'C' strake being renewed at 'the next Special Survey due 6,62'" would not indicate to the world at large the true position, as ~~BOTH~~ of the affixes you have attached to "SS 6,58(Dr)" are purely domestic, whereas the name of a ship in the Register Book over 12 years old with no "(Dr)" Notation would immediately raise a question with anyone interested and intelligent about such notations.

From the foregoing you will conclude I hope that your recommendation to the Committee should be "SS 6,58" - the affix letters "(Dr)" to be deferred until "the (worn) deck plate in 'C' strake in way of No.1 cargo tank "(p.s.) has been renewed."

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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