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18th October, 1962.

Dear Sirs,

S.S. "CHEIKH MARCEL"

C. I acknowledge receipt of your letter of the  
/BN 16th instant the contents of which have been noted.

The report of the General Examination held at Alexandria in August/September has received the consideration of the Committee who have agreed to the Special Survey being postponed until May 1963. If the ship is examined in drydock in May 1963 by the Society's Surveyors and found or placed in satisfactory condition then a further postponement of Special Survey until July 1963 might be granted.

The class of the ship is continued subject to:-  
(1) Set up bottom shell plating in way of No.5 double bottom tank, port side, and indented shell plating in way of No.1 hold, port side, being specially examined and dealt with as necessary by the Special Survey.  
(2) Two bower anchors and 15 fathoms of chain cable being supplied as soon as possible. In this respect I would point out that the bower anchor supplied at Karachi in June/July is underweight and will require to be re-placed.  
(3) Shell plating in way of Nos.4 & 5 frames abaft F.P. bulkhead in fourth strake below sheerstrake being specially examined and dealt with as found necessary by November 1962.

I shall be glad if you will let me know what arrangements you propose to make in regard to items Nos. 2 & 3.

Yours faithfully,

pro Clerk to the  
Classification Committee.

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