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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.3.

5th April, 1940.

Dear Sirs,

I have to acquaint you that a communication has been received from the Royal Mail Lines Ltd., intimating that they have been instructed by the Ministry of Shipping to manage the motorship "EMPIRE CONFIDENCE" on their behalf and that classification with this Society is desired.

To entitle the vessel to classification it will be necessary for the requirements of the Rules for vessels not built under survey to be complied with. In the event, however, of the survey not being completed the vessel should be generally examined with a view to the notation LOCAL Class Contemplated with a record of Examined (with date) in red being recorded in the Register Book.

I have to request that you will be good enough to forward for examination any plans that may be available.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

The Surveyors,

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