

REPORT ON ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT.

(OTHER THAN FOR THE PROPULSION OF THE VESSEL)

Received at London Office.....

Date of writing Report... 28th Dec 1944 When handed in at Local Office... 19th Dec 1944 Port of... GLASGOW

No. in Survey held at... GLASGOW Date, First Survey... 17th OCTOBER Last Survey... 25th DECEMBER 1944
Reg. Book. (Number of Visits... 2)

89421 on the... EMPIRE KUMASI Tons { Gross... 7000
Net...

Built at... PORT GLASGOW By whom built... MESSRS W^M HAMILTON & CO^{LTD} Yard No... 465 When built... 1944

Owners... MINISTRY OF WAR TRANSPORT Port belonging to... GREENOCK

Electrical Installation fitted by... W. MUIR GOODFELLOW & CO^{LTD} Contract No... 465 When fitted... 1944

Is vessel fitted for carrying Petroleum in bulk... Is vessel equipped with D.F. YES E.S.D. YES Gy.C. Sub.Sig.

Have plans been submitted and approved... YES System of Distribution... TWO WIRE Voltage of supply for Lighting... 110

Heating... Power... 110V Direct or Alternating Current, Lighting... D.C. Power... D.C. If Alternating Current state periodicity... Prime Movers,

has the governing been tested and found as per Rule when full load is suddenly thrown on and off... YES Are turbine emergency governors fitted with a

trip switch as per Rule... Generators, are they compound wound... YES, are they level compounded under working conditions... YES,

if not compound wound state distance between generators... and from switchboard... Where more than one generator is fitted are they

arranged to run in parallel... No, are shunt field regulators provided... YES Is the compound winding connected to the negative or positive pole

POSITIVE Have machines over 100 kw. been inspected by the Surveyors during manufacture and testing... Have certificates of

test for machines under 100 kw. been supplied... YES and the results found as per rule... YES Are the lubricating arrangements and the construction

of the generators as per rule... YES Position of Generators... IN ENGINE-ROOM

is the ventilation in way of generators satisfactory... YES are they clear of inflammable material... YES, if situated

near unprotected combustible material state distance from same horizontally... and vertically... are the generators protected from mechanical

injury and damage from water, steam and oil... YES, are the bedplates and frames earthed... YES and the prime movers and generators in metallic

contact... YES Switchboards, where are main switchboards placed... IN ENGINE-ROOM NEAR GENERATORS

are they in accessible positions, free from inflammable gases and acid fumes... YES, are they protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam

and oil... YES, if situated near unprotected combustible material state distance from same horizontally... and vertically... what insulation

material is used for the panels... SINDANYO, if of synthetic insulating material is it an Approved Type... YES, if of

semi-insulating material (slate or marble) are all conducting parts insulated therefrom as per Rule... Is the frame effectually earthed... YES

Is the construction as per Rule... YES, including accessibility of parts... YES, absence of fuses on the back of the board... YES, individual fuses

to pilot and earth lamps, voltmeters, etc.,... YES locking of screws and nuts... YES, labelling of apparatus and fuses... YES, fuses on the "dead"

side of switches... YES Description of Main Switchgear for each generator and arrangement of equaliser switches...

150 AMP D.P. KNIFE PATTERN SWITCH WITH FUSES.

and for each outgoing circuit... 100 AMP, 60 AMP, 30 AMP D.P. KNIFE PATTERN SWITCHES WITH FUSES.

Are compartments containing switchboards composed of fire-resisting material or lined as per Rule... YES Instruments on main switchboard... 3

ammeters... 2 voltmeters... synchronising devices. For compound machines in parallel is the ammeter connected on the pole opposite to the

equaliser connection... Earth Testing, state means provided... EARTH LAMPS.

Switches, Circuit Breakers and Fuses, are they as per Rule... YES, are the fuses an approved type... YES, are all fuses labelled as

per Rule... YES If circuit breakers are provided for the generators, at what overload current did they open when tested... are the reversed current

protection devices connected on the pole opposite to the equaliser connection... have they been tested under working conditions, and at what current

did they operate... Joint Boxes, Section Boards and Distribution Boards, is the construction and position as per Rule... YES

Cables, are they insulated and protected as per the appropriate Tables of the Rules... YES, if otherwise than as per Rule are they of an approved type... W.E.

state maximum fall of pressure between bus bars and any point under maximum load... 4.5 Volts are the ends of all cables having a sectional area of 0.04

square inch and above provided with soldering sockets... YES Are paper insulated and varnished cambric insulated cables sealed at the ends...

The Electrical Equipment is installed in accordance with the approved plans and the requirements of the Rules.

All Insulated Conductors are guaranteed to have been tested at the maker's works as specified in the Rules.

The foregoing is a correct description.

[Signature]
DIRECTOR
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS.

Electrical Engineers.

Date *27 Dec 44*

COMPASSES.

Minimum distance between electric generators or motors and standard compass *TWENTY FEET.*

Minimum distance between electric generators or motors and steering compass *EIGHTEEN FEET.*

The nearest cables to the compasses are as follows:—

A cable carrying *5* Ampères *9* feet from standard compass *7* feet from steering compass.

A cable carrying *23* Ampères *LED INTO* feet from standard compass *LED INTO* feet from steering compass.

A cable carrying Ampères feet from standard compass feet from steering compass.

Have the compasses been adjusted with and without the electric installation at work at full power *YES*

Has the effect of switching on and off circuits, motors and other electro-magnetic apparatus within the vicinity of the compasses been noted *YES*

The maximum deviation due to electric currents was found to be *NIL* degrees on *ANY* course in the case of the standard compass, and *NIL* degrees on *ANY* course in the case of the steering compass.

WILLIAM HAMILTON & CO., LIMITED,

Builder's Signature.

Date

Is this installation a duplicate of a previous case *No* If so, state name of vessel

Plans. Are approved plans forwarded herewith *No* If not, state date of approval *12/10/44*

Certificates. Are certificates of test for motors engaged on essential services and generators forwarded herewith *YES* ✓

General Remarks (State quality of workmanship, whether insulation tests, etc., have been made, opinions as to class, etc.)

The electrical equipment of this vessel has been fitted on board under Special Survey, tested under working conditions and found satisfactory. All the requirements of the approved plans and M.O.W.T. Specification have been carried out. The materials and workmanship are good.

Notes

From

31.1.45

Total Capacity of Generators *30* ✓ Kilowatts.

The amount of Fee ... £ *22* : *10* :

SPECIFICATION FEE £ *5* : *12* :

Travelling Expenses (if any) £ *—* : *5* :

When applied for,

At Glasgow

When received,

3/1/1945

[Signature]
Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

Committee's Minute

GLASGOW

4 JAN 1945

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