

**REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, BREAKING UP, ETC.**

Ship's Name **SS "ADELPHOS PETRAKIS"** Gross tons **7170** Date of Build **6-1944**  
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**3.5.67.** Owners **Fraternity Maritime Transport Ltd.**

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