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LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING



Report No. 174

Port..... COCHIN

7th April, 1965.

Survey fees: Rs. 120.00
Expenses: Rs. 10.00
TOTAL: Rs. 130.00
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This is to Certify that

P. L. D'ARCO

the undersigned Surveyor to this Society did at the request of M/s. Peirce Leslie & Co. Ltd., Lloyd's Agents, on behalf of M/s. F. A. Abdulrehiman Kutty & Sons, Cochin, Owners Agents and with the consent of the Master attend on board the S. S. "APJ AMBAR", 5449 Gross tons of Calcutta, on the 29th March, 1965, whilst she lay afloat at Trivandrum Roads for grounding in the turning basin, Bassein River on the 20th March, 1965.

For further particulars see Log-book.

It was further stated that while the vessel was leaving Bassein, she ran aground in the turning basin and that the vessel's bottom in the region of the midships' came in contact with the bed of the river. The vessel was refloated by her own power.

The following examination was carried out and recommendations made without prejudice to the terms and conditions of insurance.

Fore and after Peak tanks, Double Bottom tanks and bilges were sounded at intervals and found in order.

Steering engine tested under running conditions and found in order.

Engine room Log-book examined and found no abnormal changes in the various temperatures.

It is recommended that the vessel be specially examined for grounding at the time of the next dry docking and in my opinion any damage found then may reasonably be attributed to the alleged cause.

Issued without prejudice.

(P. L. D'ARCO)

SURVEYOR TO LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING.

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