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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

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13th April, 1926.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letters of the 9th instant respecting the freeboard of the Furness Shipbuilding Co's Yard Nos. 108/9, and the contents have been noted.

With regard thereto I enclose a printed letter setting forth the amended freeboards which have been provisionally assigned, subject to the particulars and dimensions now supplied being verified on completion of the vessels, and to the ends of the erections being closed as required for full allowance.

In view of the estimated particulars of tonnage now supplied the corrected tonnage coefficient has been increased to .80, and this involves an increase of one inch in the freeboard.

At the same time I have to inform you that Mr. Keady, the Owners' Superintendent, has called at this Office and has been informed that the freeboards given in the regulations are the minimum permitted for the dimensions proposed, and no further reduction can be made for trading in partly protected waters, but that in fully protected waters the regulations do not apply. He was also informed regarding the amended

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freeboards now assigned to these vessels.

For your information and guidance I think it well
to enclose a copy of the freeboard computation.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

The Surveyors,

MIDDLESBROUGH.



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