

MEMORANDUM

**From :** LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING, 71, FENCHURCH STREET,  
LONDON, E.C.3.

(Ref. R.)

**To:** The Surveyor(s) at WHYALLA

Date: 5th November, 1965.

Vessel's Name: M. Dredger "W.D. ATLAS"

SEI/CB

QUESTION

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ANSWER

Reference entry for vessel in your Weekly Return dated 16th July please state position, as your Report does not so far appear to have been received in this Office.

Note: No further entry for vessel in your subsequent 5B and September Quarterly Returns.

*[Signature]*  
Whyalla, Sth. Aust. 10th November, 1965.

This vessel was surveyed in accordance with the Secretary's letter, ref. C, DHGK/SO, dated 4th June, 1965 and it was found that damage had been sustained to her steering gear. It was recommended that the rudder stock be removed for further examination but this has not yet been done and the Owners are at present investigating proposals to place the existing

steering arrangements in a condition efficient enough for a voyage to dry dock where extensive modifications may be carried out. The vessel is at present in service moored in Whyalla harbour where her steering gear is not in use. She is expected to be in this service for another six months during which time her steering gear will be dismantled for repair and her rudder stock (twisted) heat treated or renewed.

In view of the foregoing the vessel has been considered to be still under survey but should a report be necessary at this time your advice would be appreciated.

Yours faithfully,  
The Surveyors,

*[Signature]*  
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Submitted Whyalla  
Surveyors be requested to  
furnish a Report of the survey  
held in 6.65.  
16/4/65  
S.D.



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