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Dear Mr. Van der Weel,

You will remember in your letter of the 1st May you were unable to give me any information regarding a number of Dutch vessels built during the war but afterwards taken over by the Germans. These included :- "HEROS", "KAREL", "WESTERBROEK", "WARZAWA" and "XAVER DORSCH".

I was wondering whether it would be safe for us now to regard these as total losses and to file your first entry reports away.

Please let me have your comments and at the same time include the motor tanker "KARNTEN" (see your letter of the 17th January and your first entry report No.29042) in your reply.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

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