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No. Place Hongkong Date 20th April 1939

We request that the Committee of Lloyd's Register will instruct the Society's Surveyors to Specially Survey during Construction the Hull, & installation of the Machinery ~~Engines and Boilers~~ of the Vessel No. 828 building by Messrs. Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd. for Messrs. Visayan Stevedore Transportation Co. Inc of 60 Tons. Length 74 ft. Breadth 18 ft. , Depth 8 ft. 6 ins. ^{MANILA} intended to be Classed A.1. "For Towing Services"

We undertake to arrange for every facility to be given to the Surveyors to carry out the duty in question, and we agree to pay the fees for the Surveyors' services, in addition to the actual travelling and other expenses incurred by the Surveyors in connection therewith.

This request is made upon the terms of the Rules and Regulations of Lloyd's Register of Shipping, which provide that:—

"While the Committees of the Society use their best endeavours to ensure that the functions of the Society are properly executed, it is to be understood that neither the Society nor any Member of any of its Committees is under any circumstances whatever to be held responsible for any inaccuracy in any report or certificate issued by the Society or its Surveyors, or in any entry in the Register Book or other publication of the Society, or for any error of judgment, default or negligence of any of its Committees or any Member thereof, or the Surveyors, or other Officers or Agents of the Society."

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Engine Makers The Union Diesel Engine Co.

Boiler Makers HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK Co., Ltd.

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CHIEF MANAGER

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