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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

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27th July, 1928.

Dear Sir,

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I was duly favoured with your letter of the 17th instant, respecting your steamer "EDERA", and have submitted the case to the Committee at their Meeting to-day.

As you are aware, the vessel became due for Second Special Survey No.3 in June 1927, and in compliance with your special request the survey was allowed to be postponed subject to its completion before the end of June, when the year of grace expired.

From your letter it would now appear that you are unable to make any definite arrangements as to when the survey will be completed, and in all the circumstances the Committee regret that they have no alternative but to expunge the vessel's character from the Society's Register Book with a red line, indicating non-compliance with the Society's Rules.

I have at the same time to say that in view of the withdrawal of this vessel's class the record of the freeboard assigned by the Committee, together with the corresponding draught, will also be withdrawn, and the freeboard certificate is thereby cancelled and should be returned to this Office.

I may also add that upon the receipt of a satisfactory report from the Society's Surveyors on the completion of the necessary surveys and repairs, the case will receive the

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favourable consideration of the Committee with a view to
the re-instatement of the class.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

(Copies ANCONA & GENOA)

Clerk to the
Classification Committee.

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