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28th March 1945

S. Dear Sirs,

Trawlers "AVOLA", "CLOUGHSTONE" & INVERTAY"

I am in receipt of your letters of the 22nd instant from which I am pleased to learn that you desire to reclass the above named vessels in the Society's Register Book.

To entitle the vessels to reinstatement of class, it will be necessary in each instance for the requirements of a 2nd Special Survey No.3 to be complied with, for all parts of the structure to be drilled tested where deemed necessary by the Society's Surveyors and for full particulars of the equipment on board to be furnished.

Should it be impracticable in any instance at the present time to complete the full requirements of Special Survey, the Committee will be prepared to assign notations of LOCAL Steam Trawler, reclassification contemplated with notation of "Examined" (with date) valid for 12 months provided a General Examination be made of the vessel in drydock and the Boiler and Screw-shaft Surveys to be held. The Society's Surveyors at Aberdeen, Hull and West Hartlepool are being informed of the position.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully

The Lord Line Ltd.,  
St. Andrew's Dock,  
HULL

pro Clerk to the Classification Committee.