

Req. 1. (Received at London Office.....)

No. 541 Port NEWCASTLE -on- TYNE Date 17/12/43 1943

We request that the Steel single screw steamer Building

for Ministry of War Transport by John Readhead & Sons Ltd.

of approx. 7100 Tons. Length, 425' BP breadth, 56'0" mould depth, 38'0" to U.D. gross.

may be Specially Surveyed while building (CSS with designed draft) If for a particular term or class, state the same.

We hereby engage to pay the established Special Survey Fees as set forth in the Society's Rules, and, in addition, any travelling and other expenses which may be incurred by the Surveyors in connexion with the survey.

In no case can the vessel be classed until all fees, travelling expenses, &c., due thereon are paid.

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

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No. 541 in Builder's Yard. Manufacturers of Engines John Readhead & Sons Ltd.

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Ditto of Boilers John Readhead & Sons Ltd.
FOR JOHN READHEAD & SONS LTD.
Signature *[Signature]*

To the Secretary, Lloyd's Register of Shipping, **MANAGING DIRECTOR.**

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