

WOKINGHAM COPY.

20th March, 1944.

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Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 14th ultimo respecting the case of the steamer "HABANA".

With regard to the chain cables, I can only refer you to Table No.53 of the Society's Rules and point out that although the equipment numeral is reduced as stated by you the amount is not sufficient to alter the grade. Having regard therefore to your statement that the actual diameter of the cable is not slightly above 60 mm as previously concluded, the vessel's class has been made subject to the chains being again examined by the end of May next and renewed at the first opportunity, and I shall be glad if you will arrange with the Owners for this to be done.

Your proposal regarding the screwshaft liner is approved and I shall be glad if you will acquaint the Barcelona Surveyor accordingly.

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

The Surveyors,
R.I.R.A.C.

Clerk to the

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