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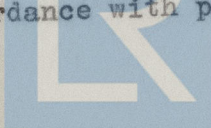
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Dear Sir,

Motorship "SAIBURI"

I am obliged to you for your recent letter regarding possible survey for reclassification of this vessel, and in confirmation of my cabled reply to you today I would inform you that for reclassification the following will be necessary:-

1. The requirements of a Special Survey (D) on the hull to be complied with, including the drilling of shell plating and strength deck amidships (Chapter C.231 of the Ship Rules) and in such parts of the structure where signs of wastage are evident.  
An Exclusive Surveyor from Singapore should join in this survey as indicated in my letter to Mr. D.C. Knott on the 31st January 1963.
2. Any major repairs which have been effected to the structure since the ship was disclassed to be specially examined in order to ascertain the character of the workmanship and to confirm that the materials used are in accordance with the Rules.
3. Structural alterations which may have been carried out since the ship was disclassed to be specially examined in order to ascertain the character of the workmanship and to confirm that the arrangements and materials used are in accordance with the Rules.
4. If any structural alterations effecting the longitudinal and/or transverse strength of the ship are contemplated these should be carried out in accordance with plans approved.



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5. Full particulars of the equipment on board (which should be found or placed in accordance with Rule requirements) including weights and tests of anchors, also length, diameter and tests etc., of chain cable to be furnished.

So far as the machinery is concerned, a complete Machinery Survey is required together with a Screwshaft Survey. The main engine also requires to be fitted with crankcase explosion relief devices of an approved design. The Machinery and Screwshaft Surveys should, of course, be carried out by a competent Engineer, and it will be appreciated if you will kindly state what arrangements you are able to make to obtain the co-operation of a suitable person.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk to the  
Classification Committee.

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