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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.3.

4th April, 1950.

Enclosures

Dear Sir,

m.t. "T.I."

I enclose herewith a copy of a letter dated 28th ultimo and its enclosure received from the Finska Angfartygs Aktiebolaget which speaks for itself.

You will remember that when Mr. Townshend, the Principal Surveyor for Sweden, paid you a visit last summer, he interviewed Mr. Astrom concerning this ship and others, who stated that in this case the survey was completed but structural alterations had been made particulars of which he would obtain and report.

I sent you a reminder in my letter dated 13th February that we had not heard from Mr. Astrom and I feel sure no words of mine are needed to impress upon you the importance of giving satisfaction to such important and loyal clients of Lloyd's Register as the Finska Company.

Upon receipt of this letter, therefore, please contact Mr. Silander at once and assure him that the Society is most anxious to clarify the position.

At the same time please contact Mr. Astrom for the purpose of expediting his report and if this cannot be done, it is considered you should re-survey the ship with a view to issuing, at the least, interim certificates of continuance of B.C. classification in the Register Book.

The Committee have asked me to stress that the Society's good name and reputation is at stake over this case, and I shall be glad if you will cable me immediately adequate arrangements have been made.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk to the
Classification Committee

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