



Finance (Marine) Department.

No. 5893 Marine-4

From

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Secretary to the Government of Madras,  
Finance Department.

To

The Surveyor to Lloyd's Register,  
Lloyd's Register of Shipping,  
.20. Dalhousie Square,  
Calcutta.

Dated, Ootacamund, the 21st June 1929.

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Sir,

Screw shaft Survey of the Dredger Lord Willingdon -  
Your letter dated 28th May 1929.

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I am directed to state that the port and starboard screwshafts of the dredger 'Lord Willingdon' have been withdrawn and new stern and A bracket bushes fitted within the last month.

2. It is presumed that you will wish to see the shaft withdrawn for examination and I am to enquire whether in view of the very recent overhaul it is possible to postpone the survey for a period of six months when the vessel will be dry docked again.

3. In this connection I am to point out that as the vessel is a suction dredger working with a pipeline her propelling engines are very seldom in use. The distance she will travel in the next six months will not in all probability exceed 10 miles.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your most obedient servant,

Secretary.

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