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YARROW & COMPANY LIMITED

Scotstoun,

GLASGOW, W.4.

10th March, 1958.

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Dear Mr. Willis,

Ferry Boats "PADAMYA", PONDAUNG"
"PADASHIN", "PONMYA" and "PADAPYAN"

Thank you for your letter of 7th March with enclosures.

Referring to telephone conversation this morning, I enclose, in duplicate, copy of a letter we have sent to our agents in Burma, Messrs. Oppenheimer & Company, together with two copies of the drawing referred to in the letter.

Kirkham appointed a Surveyor to act for Builders with their representatives concerned as necessary Builders would by the fee
We are surprised to learn that Lloyd's Register in London sent their comments to Rangoon on their Surveyor's report without any consultation at all with us, especially as we understand that our agents in Burma asked your Surveyor in Burma to act on our behalf, and this is confirmed in Mr. Kirkam's letter to Lloyd's in London of 15th February, and also we are being asked to pay the Surveyor's fee. We would readily have arranged for our representatives to discuss the whole matter in London. There also appears to have been some delay in our receipt of the Surveyor's report after it had arrived in this country. *Copy of report recd. London 19/2. Letter sent 26/2. It was concluded original of report sent direct Builders*

The position which has now developed is bound to cause confusion in Burma and it is suggested that any further comments regarding this matter which are sent either to Lloyd's representative or to our agents, affecting both Lloyd's and ourselves, should be discussed between the parties concerned prior to despatch.

Yours sincerely,

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