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Extract from Kobe Classing Letter dated 10.8.54.

2121 "HAKONESAN MARU" (RMC). Classification has been withheld in this case pending receipt of a report covering the testing of the de-frosting arrangements.

With regard to the last paragraph of your letter of the 9th July last, it is noted that the connections for the water de-frosting system have been made permanent. I think it well to point out that this is contrary to the general intention of the International Loadline Convention, and arrangements should be made for part of the water supply, in a conspicuous place, to be made portable, and in such a way that the portable section is in place only when de-frosting is in progress.

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