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Praça Duque da Terceira, 24-2º.-E.,

Lisbon, 10th. August 1950

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Dear Sir,

The Owners of the above tanker, Messrs. Shell Company of Portugal, state that it is their intention to station this vessel at the Cape Verde Islands to trade locally, and she will be leaving Lisbon shortly with a cargo of oil in bulk for that port.

They have enquired if a provisional Seaworthy Certificate could be granted by the Society for the voyage Lisbon - C.V. Islands, although it is not their intention to class the vessel. You will recall, however, that the Shell XV had provisional Classification, on a yearly basis, during the late war for voyages from Gibraltar to Lisbon and that permanent classification was contemplated a few years ago but the matter was not pursued.

To avoid confusion, we should inform you that this vessel, in correspondence, has been variously spelt "Shell Quinze", "Shell 15" and "Shell XV".

We shall be glad if you would kindly inform this office of your decision by cable.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully

John Guthrie

For the Surveyors.

The Secretary
London.



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Referred to Mr. Cook.

Cable requested
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The Secretary
London.

Dear Sir,
The Secretary

office of your decision of 21st Dec. 1924.
We are glad to hear that you are

able to give the matter the consideration it deserves.
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