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Dear Sirs,

S.S. "KEREMPE"

With reference to your memorandum of the 18th March, I have to say that provided a satisfactory General Examination of the Hull and Machinery in accordance with Circular 1959, including the testing of the bilge suctions, is held in drydock when the Special Survey is commenced during the present month, the Committee will then be prepared to consider the postponement of the completion of the Special Survey.

I have to add that, in view of our experience with ships more than twenty years old, the Committee are prepared to agree to the postponement of Special Surveys only after a very thorough General Examination of the Hull has been held in accordance with the terms of Circular No.1959, including an internal examination of any water ballast deep tanks, by the due date of the Special Survey. You should therefore be guided accordingly, paying special attention to the possibility of grooving at the heel of frames and wastage of bilge shell plating and structure in way. The period of postponement for the completion of the Special Survey will be dependent upon the condition of the ship as found at the General Examination.

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It is concluded that the Main Boiler Survey due at the end of August 1966 will be held about the due date.

The next Steampipe Survey will require to be held by the completion of the Special Survey.

Yours faithfully,

Assistant Classification Manager,

The Surveyors,
ISTANBUL



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