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2nd September, 1949.  
(Friday)

Lloyd's Register of Shipping,  
Empire House,  
Mount Stuart Square,  
CARDIFF.

Dear Sirs,

M.V. "HOUSTON CITY"

We acknowledge by hand yesterday a copy of the memorandum you have received from your Head Office regarding Survey position on the above named vessel and we have to advise as follows :-

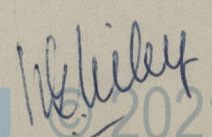
Paragraph 1. The Riley Boiler will be Surveyed as far as we can see at the present on vessel's arrival at a port in Queensland, Australia, in October.

Paragraph 2. Modified Engine Survey will be completed when vessel returns to this country early in December.

Paragraph 3. The Annual Classification Survey which we assume you refer to in your Rule Book as Annual or Occasional Survey, so far as we are concerned was completed between inspections by your Surveyors in (a) - Dry Docking at Sydney, Australia, February 2nd, 1949 and (b) - Hatch Survey etc. at London in April 1949.

We shall be pleased to have clarification regarding your query on this matter.

Yours faithfully,

  
Director.



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