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On receiving this information Registro Italiano Head Office in Genoa authorised the issue of a certificate for the voyage Durban to Cape Town provided a Special Survey for Classification was held on arrival at Cape Town.

No Report on the Survey held at Durban by the Registro Italiano Surveyor has so far been received at the R.I. Head Office.

Dr. Solda has promised to keep me informed of any further developments in this case and I shall of course advise you of any information received.

Yours faithfully,

J. J. J. J.

PRINCIPAL SURVEYOR FOR ITALY

The Secretary,
LONDON.

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