



MEMORANDUM

From : LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING,

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(Ref. Publications)

To: The Surveyor(s) at LAS PALMAS

Date: 22nd January, 1969.

Ship's Name: s.s. "DUMBO"

CLASSED

LR509460

1025 tons

QUESTION

ANSWER

28.1.69

This ship is reported to have been driven ashore on Alcalavaneras Beach on 24th November last. On the understanding that her ownership is still awaiting court ratification, I would be glad to learn whether this ship is a salvable proposition or whether she has been abandoned as a total loss.

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This vessel was driven ashore as ~~stated~~ ^{stated}, on 24th Nov. last. It is ~~understood~~ ^{understood} that she had become the property of a new Owner, as a result of an open auction, the 3rd to be held in Las Palmas in connection with this vessel, and it is stated that the price paid was Pts. 40.000, plus the debts she had incurred up to the time of the auction. No attempt has been made to re-float her, as it is understood there would be difficulty in meeting the Salvors costs, and whilst this Surveyor believes she could be salvaged, it would be the current belief that the cost and the risk involved, is not worth the efforts, and it is likely she will be burned down on the beach where she lies, for scrap, as there is considerable Public outcry meantime, on account of the beach on which she lies being one of the tourist attractions in Las Palmas. The matter is meantime in the hands of the Spanish Govt. Authorities, and it is believed there will be, because of her being flagged Pto.

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Panamanian, a considerable
time lapse before anything
is finally ~~done~~

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