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ENCLOSURE.

9th September, 1896.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your telegram of yesterday, respecting the case of the ship "INDIAN EMPIRE", I am directed to acquaint you, in confirmation of my telegram of this morning, that a cablegram having been received from Lloyd's Agent at Lima, the Committee have decided to re-instate the vessel's class in the Register Book, on the understanding that she be submitted to the inspection of the Society's Surveyors and the Special Survey No.1 be held on her return home, or at the first port where a Surveyor to this Society is stationed, and a provisional certificate is sent herewith.

I have to add that if the vessel proceeds to San Francisco or any other port at which the Society has a Surveyor stationed the masts, spars and rigging should be submitted to his examination, and I have to request that you will kindly advise this office as to the port at which the vessel will call, in order that the necessary instructions in the case may be given to the Society's local Surveyor.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

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