

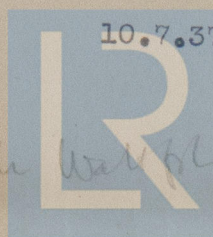
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It is submitted the New York Office be advised that this case has been investigated and it is found that the strength of the structure is suitable for a summer moulded draught of about 19 feet. To entitle the vessel to this draught it will be necessary for the gangway doors which are fitted below the freeboard (spar) deck to be strongly constructed so as to be equivalent to an intact structure and made watertight and for efficient protection to be provided for the large windows which are fitted in the superstructure between the spar and promenade decks. The sidelights which are fitted below the freeboard deck should conform to Convention requirements.

The report should be returned to the New York Office who should be requested to forward it to the Toronto Surveyor, They should be advised, that as stated above, the spar deck is considered to be the freeboard deck and in view of this, a new Rpt. C.11 should be prepared and forwarded to this Office. Complete details should be reported including the following:

1. The length on the load waterline from the fore side of stem to centre of rudder stock.
2. The moulded displacement at a moulded draught of 24.44 feet.
3. The extent and thickness of sheathing on the spar deck.
4. The length of erection on the spar deck, together with the scantlings of the aft bulkhead of this erection and details of the openings in means of closing these. The position of the bulkhead at the forward end of this erection (i.e. its distance abaft the forward perpendicular) and of any other bulkheads abaft this, together with details of any openings and means of closing these. The position of the forward end of the foremost large window in this erection abaft the forward perpendicular.
5. Particulars of hatchways, stairways and other openings on the spar deck together with means of closing these.
6. Particulars of scuppers and discharges from spaces below the spar deck and also from spaces above the spar deck.

A photographic copy of the report should be retained in this Office for reference.



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