

POSTPONED SURV

Case of the S.S. "EL HIND".

No. 73549 in Reg. Bk. tons, Built

Classed Owners

Port of Registry

Survey Due Boiler Survey due 6.44.

In a report dated June 1943 the Bombay Surveyors stated that this vessel had been taken over by the Government and that no further classification surveys would be held until the vessel was restored to her Owners.

In a letter dated the 20th January last the Bombay Surveyors stated that this vessel was very badly damaged and that it was not likely repairs would be attempted.

The Surveyors submitted that the vessel's class might be expunged for the present. In reply the Bombay Surveyors were informed that the Committee considered the case might be met by omitting the vessel's class from the forthcoming reprint of the Register Book but that before taking that action it was desired that the Surveyors should obtain an assurance from the Owners that they would have no objection to this course being adopted.

P. D. O.

Committee's Minute FRI. 20 APR 1945

Decision

Omit class in
reprint of R.B.

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Note to P.J.R.
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The following cablegram has now been received from the Bombay Surveyors:-

"EL HIND NOW DECLARED A TOTAL LOSS BY GOVERNMENT AS FROM APRIL 1944 STOP OWNERS NOT INTERESTED IN BOOK ENTRY"

*Submitted for the consideration
of the Committee*

*Rel
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