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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

FRENCH

17th May, 1929.

Dear Sirs,

S. Reverting to your letter of the 18th December last respecting the Boiler Survey of your Tug "ITAPAGIPE", I beg to acquaint you that the Committee have to-day had before them a report received from a Surveyor appointed by Lloyd's Agent at Bahia, from which it appears that, upon examination, the boiler of this vessel was found in very bad condition.

The Surveyor adds that the boiler requires to be moved ashore for extensive repairs, and that in the meantime the same is not eligible to remain as classed, and in all the circumstances and in view of the fact that the Boiler Survey now due has not been completed as required, the Committee have given instructions for the vessel's class to be expunged from the Register Book with a red line, indicating non-compliance with the Society's Rules.

I have to add that in view of the withdrawal of this vessel's class, the record of the freeboard assigned by the Committee, together with the corresponding draught, will also be withdrawn, and the freeboard certificate is thereby cancelled and should be returned to this office.

Societe de Construction du Port de Bahia,
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Yours faithfully

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