

Messrs. Nederlandsche Dok-Maatschappij's No. 69.
Messrs. C. van der Giessen & Zonen's No. 653.
Messrs. Cantieri Riuniti Dell'Adriatico's No.1209.

It is submitted the Nederlandsche Dok-Maatschappij be informed that in dealing with plan No. 69020 it was thought that it would be preferred that the "zware" stringer should be kept as narrow as practicable; a size of 760 m/m was therefore indicated, but this required to be associated with a stringer at the level of the harbour deck. The plan No. 69051 was subsequently received and amended on similar lines. If, however, the "zware" stringer is fitted 1220 m/m in breadth with a 250 x 90 x 12 m/m bulb angle face bar as proposed on the latter plan, the stringer at the level of the harbour deck may be omitted.

A copy of the Builders' letter, together with a copy of the reply should also be sent to the Amsterdam, Rotterdam and Trieste Surveyors.

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