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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

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18th December, 1939.

Dear Sir,

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Messrs. Lithgows' Yard Nos. 939/40 'Y' Type Vessels  
Emergency Merchant Shipbuilding Programme.

I am in receipt of your letter of the 15th instant respecting the hatch webslide angles in the above vessels, and in reply I have to inform you that no exception will be taken in these cases to the use of  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $7/16$ " angles for Hatch Web Slides,  $7/16$ " being the maximum thickness for this section as agreed upon by the Board of Trade and the Steelmakers.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

The Secretary,

GLASGOW.



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