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12th April, 1934.

Dear Mr. Cox,

In January last the Sub-Committee for Classification had before them correspondence from the Shanghai Surveyor relative to the decision of the Shanghai Tug and Lighter Co., Ltd. to withdraw their tugs "SAUCY", "ST.AUBIN", "ST.DOMINIC" and "ST.SAMPSON" from classification with this Society.

As the Owners' decision appeared to be final instructions were given for the vessels' classes to be withdrawn and three dots inserted in lieu thereof.

As Mr. Ernest L. Jacobs, one of the Underwriting Members of the Committee, who was present when the cases came before them, was interested in the insurance of these vessels, he promised to look into the matter in view of the circumstances as reported in the Shanghai Surveyor's letter, and accordingly addressed a letter on the subject to Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., at Shanghai on the 18th January last.

Mr. Jacobs has now been good enough to furnish me with a copy of the reply, dated 24th February, which he has received, in which it is stated that the Owners' action in withdrawing the vessels from classification has not prejudiced their insurance cover with the Underwriters.

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considered by the Owners at the next Board Meeting, and he

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Tugs "SAUCY", etc.

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SHANGHAI, February 24th 1954.

It has been thought desirable that you should be advised of the circumstances in this instance, and I am enclosing for your information copies of the letters which are referred to above, as it is considered that you might think it well on your next visit to Shanghai to take the opportunity of going into the matter further with the Owners.

Yours faithfully,

H. Jasper Cox, Esq.,

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