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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.3.

26th October, 1938.

Dear Sirs,

Yard No. 1567

M. With reference to your letter of yesterday's date, I have to inform you that no exception will be taken to the proposal to electrically weld all the butts of the shell plating, including the sheerstrake, provided the requirements of the Rules for the Application of Electric Arc Welding to Ship Construction be complied with, and the consent of the Owners be obtained.

It is noted that the system of beam construction proposed is also to apply to some of the bulkheads, and that this special arrangement of stiffening is being adopted as an Owners' requirement and is specified in the Hull Specification.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Swan, Hunter & Wigham
Richardson, Ltd.,
WALLSEND-ON-TYNE.



Secretary.

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