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Your Ref: JP/JEH.

17th January, 1947.

Dear Sirs,

H. & F.

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant respecting the steamer "ZEPHYROS", the contents of which are noted.

In reply I have to say that in the circumstances mentioned by you the Committee are agreeable to the outstanding survey requirements for maintenance of class being dealt with on the vessel's return to the Continent on the understanding that this is not later than the end of next month.

It is evident, however, from the wastage reported from time to time that the vessel is showing evidence of her age and it is therefore considered that full Special Survey requirements should be complied with or at least an extensive General Examination held on the occasion of the forthcoming survey. I shall therefore be obliged if you will kindly make arrangements to this effect.

Messrs. A. Lusi Ltd.,  
1-4, Bury Street,  
LONDON, E.C.3.

Yours faithfully,  
pro Clerk to the  
Classification Committee.

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