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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

High Close, Wiltshire Road,

Wokingham, Berks.

Your Ref. M.T.410

15th March, 1940.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 9th instant respecting the steamer "GIANNOULIS COUCHARIS", I beg to acquaint you that careful consideration has been given to the question of the extension of this vessel's class for a further period; and with a view to meeting your wishes as far as practicable, the Committee will be prepared to grant an extension of six months, subject to her being submitted to general examination in dry dock and to any repairs considered essential for this period being carried out to the satisfaction of the Society's Surveyors. This reduced period of extension has been decided upon having regard to the vessel's state and age, and I am making enquiries of the Owners' Agents as to where the requisite general examination can take place. As regards machinery, she is much overdue for Boiler Survey which, it is concluded, will be held now. It is also assumed that the Engine Survey will be held but if this should be impossible, the machinery should be opened out in the Surveyor's discretion as far as possible and

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generally examined.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 12th ultimo regarding the "S.S. Downside", I have to advise you that your information has been forwarded to the management of the ship. You will observe that your letter states that the Committee have agreed to a further examination of the vessel's plans and fittings, and that a general examination is appropriate to her age and age. I shall be glad to leave it to you to decide what part the register can be asked in order that the necessary instructions may be given to the local Surveyors.

Clerk to the
Classification Committee.

The Director of Ship Management,
Ministry of Shipping,
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LONDON, W.1.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,



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