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71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.3.

6th August, 1936.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo enclosing a plan of houses under the forecastle proposed by Messrs. Lithgows Ltd. for their Yard Nos.866/7, and in reply thereto have to inform you that in view of the fact that Mechan's watertight doors are to be fitted to the amidship pump room entrances and to the entrance to the forward pump room through the forecastle bulkhead, it is assumed that these doors are intended to be kept closed when the vessel is at sea and, therefore, the coamings may be eighteen inches in height as proposed.

The inner bulkheads of the companions in the forecastle to the drying rooms below may be of wood as proposed, provided they are of substantial construction.

Your attention is called to the hatchway between frames 167 and 170 on the upper deck, which is stated to be closed with patent steel sliding hatch cover. It is concluded that this arrangement will provide a watertight cover as required by Rule 100 of Statutory Rules & Orders, 1932, No.96, but I shall be glad if you will confirm this.

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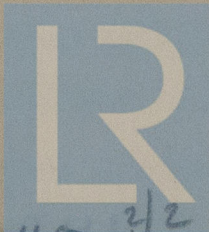
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The Surveyors,

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