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# Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

ENCLOSURE.

10th December, 1935.

Dear Sirs,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your  
5th and  
letters of the 6th instant, with enclosure, with further  
reference to the freeboard of Messrs. Lithgows Yard No. 886  
and now enclose an amended preliminary freeboard assignment  
letter for this ship.

I have to inform you with regard to the length  
to be used in the freeboard computation that this is required  
to be measured as defined in Rule 39 of Statutory Rules and  
Orders, No. 96, and the length given on your report has  
therefore been amended to 465.08 feet, and in submitting  
your final report all particulars should be reported in relation  
to this length. You should advise the Builders that a  
coefficient of fineness of .774 has been used in making the  
computation, corresponding to the moulded displacement of  
18286 tons at a draught equal to 85% of the moulded depth  
as stated on the plan, and not .777, and the freeboards are  
therefore liable to revision if necessary.

A copy of the computation will be sent you tomorrow.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

The Surveyors,

GREENOCK.

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