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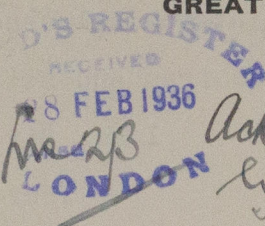
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SOLICITOR'S DEPARTMENT,

BOARD OF TRADE,

GREAT GEORGE STREET,

LONDON, S.W.1.



27th February, 1936.

Dear Sir,

s.s. "Vardulia".

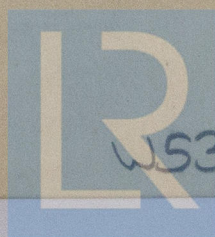
It will be necessary to call certain of your surveyors at the hearing of the formal investigation into the loss of the above-named ship which will take place in the County Court Sunderland before a Wreck Commissioner on Tuesday, 24th March, next.

I think that the only witnesses whom we shall have to ask to attend are; Mr. Hamish McGee Paton, who will be required to deal with the survey for freeboard which he carried out on the 7th, 8th and 11th April, 1932; Mr. W. Pyle, who will be required to speak of the annual survey conducted by him on 11th April, 1935, and the survey report No. 55264 dated 26th December, 1934; Mr. J.E. Sellex, who will have to deal with the survey report No. 20149 dated 3rd February, 1934; and Mr. C.A. Millar, who will deal with report No. 17502 dated 14th October, 1935. I will send you draft proofs for these gentlemen in the course of a few days. I do not think that it will be necessary to request any of the other surveyors, whose reports you have sent to me, to attend at the inquiry.

I understand from Mr. Jenkins that although the arrangement with regard to obtaining the attendance of your surveyors at ^{the} ~~this~~ formal investigations are not yet complete it will, nevertheless, be unnecessary for me to serve summonses on these

The Secretary,
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and the Chief Engineer Surveyor.

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surveyors and that the Board will repay to you their travelling expenses and a subsistence allowance of £3 5s. a day while they are travelling to and from and attending the inquiry.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

h. h. S.

For Solicitor,
Board of Trade.



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