

Telegram RECEIVED for ASPCO MARINE LONDON from PHILADELPHIA
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MARKAY showed your last cable to surveyor New York and while he stated that cannot make definite recommendation not being on scene he suggested following idea might be helpful

QUOTE Reinforce damaged tanks by installation of beams and channels or strengthening forward section similar to those use in Puerto Rico also install for buoyancy purposes false bottom of steel or wood and concrete constructions sufficiently supported with stiffeners in way of numbers 2 3 4 and 5 center tanks extend 6 inch suction pipeline to those tanks UNQUOTE

We are not in position to instruct you not knowing exact conditions it are passing this on merely for consideration in hope it will be of assistance if it is of no value you should of course disregard it surveyors concerned must make decision

Please give copy to Finnigan

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The British Corporation were not able to agree with the suggestions made by Mr. Stocks, which seemed reasonable and

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