

SOUTHAMPTON 2852

communications to be addressed to  
THE SURVEYORS.

## Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

31-32, Oxford Street,

Southampton, 14th November, 1942.

r Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 13th instant regarding proposal of the Sea Transport Department to fit the existing Deep Tank of the T.S.S. "ASCANIA" for the carriage of Fresh Water. We have had a further discussion with the Senior Surveyor of the Sea Transport and the points raised.

At present the double bottom tanks immediately below the deep Tank are used for oil fuel. It was stated, however, that the fresh water to be carried is intended only for washing purposes and would not be used elsewhere for boilers or drinking.

In these circumstances they would be glad to know if the double bottom tanks could be used for oil fuel so as not to impair the steaming range of the vessel.

We are, Dear Sir,  
Yours faithfully,

pro The Surveyors.

Secretary,  
KINGHAM.

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U/S Son 2310

Submitted the Surveyors be informed  
that as the fresh water is to be used  
for washing purposes only, no exception  
need be taken to the double bottom tanks  
in way being used for oil fuel.

16-11-42  
JSD

The Surveyor has not  
replied to the question regarding  
pumping arrangements JSD 17/11/42



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