

# REPORT ON ELECTRIC FITTINGS.

(OTHER THAN FOR THE PROPULSION OF THE VESSEL)

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 No. in Survey held at *Malmö* Date, First Survey 6<sup>th</sup> Nov, 1935 Last Survey 2<sup>nd</sup> Jan, 1936  
 Reg. Book *39508* on the *Single Screw Steel Motor Tanker "ORION"* (Number of Visits 17)  
 Built at *Malmö* By whom built *Kockums M. V. AB* Yard No. 184 When built 1936  
 Owners *Smiths Sörrens Tankrederi AS* Port belonging to *Arvidal*  
 Electric Light Installation fitted by *Kockums M. V. AB* Contract No. When fitted 1936  
 Is the Vessel fitted for carrying Petroleum in bulk *Yes*

System of Distribution *Two wire system*  
 Pressure of supply for Lighting 110 volts, Heating 110 volts, Power 110 volts

Direct or Alternating Current, Lighting *Direct* Power *Direct*

If alternating current system, state frequency of periods per second *✓*

Has the Automatic Governor been tested and found efficient when the whole load is suddenly thrown on or off *Yes*

Generators, do they comply with the requirements regarding rating *Yes*, are they compound wound *Yes*

are they over compounded 5 per cent. *Yes*, if not compound wound state distance between each generator *✓*

Where more than one generator is fitted are they arranged to run in parallel *Yes*, is an adjustable regulating resistance fitted in series with each shunt field *✓*

Are all terminals accessible, clearly marked, and furnished with sockets *Yes*, are they so spaced or shielded that they cannot be accidentally earthed, short circuited, or touched *Yes*

Position of Generators *One on each side at fore end of the motor space driven by oil engines and one on 2<sup>nd</sup> deck, port side of motor space, driven by steam engine*

is the ventilation in way of the generators satisfactory *Yes*, are they clear of all inflammable material *Yes*

if situated near unprotected woodwork or other combustible material, state distance of same horizontally from or vertically above the generators *✓*

and *✓*, are the generators protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil *Yes*

are their axes of rotation fore and aft *Yes*

Earthing, are the bedplates and frames of the generating plant efficiently earthed *Yes* are the prime movers and their respective generators in metallic contact *Yes*

Main Switch Boards, where placed *At fore end of motor space (centre)*

If the generators and main switchboard are not placed in the same compartment, is each generator provided with a fuse on each insulated pole as near as possible to the terminals of the generator, additional to that provided on the main switchboard *✓*

Switchboards, are they placed in accessible positions, free from inflammable gases and acid fumes *Yes*

are they protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil *Yes*, if situated near unprotected

woodwork or other combustible material, state distance of same horizontally from or vertically above the switchboards *✓* and *✓*

are they constructed wholly of durable, non-ignitable non-absorbent materials *Iron (main)*, is all insulation of high dielectric strength and of permanently high insulation resistance *Yes*

with mica or micanite or other non-hygroscopic insulating material, and the slab similarly insulated from its framework *no conducting parts pass through the slab*

and is the frame effectively earthed *Yes* Are the fittings as per Rule regarding: — spacing or shielding of live parts *width of gangway behind switchboard = 900 mm.*

*Yes*, accessibility of all parts *Yes*, absence of fuses on back of board *✓*, proportion of omnibus bars *Yes*

*Yes*, individual fuses to voltmeter, pilot or earth lamp *Yes*, connections of switches *Yes*

Main Switchgear, description of switchgear for each generator and each outgoing circuit, and arrangement of equalizer switches *For each generator: -*

*A double pole circuit breaker with overload & reversed current trips & a single pole emergency switch. For each outgoing circuit: - A double pole linked switch & a fuse on each pole.*

Instruments on main switchboard 7 ammeters 4 voltmeters *✓* synchronising device for paralleling purposes. *Ohm meters*

Earth Testing, state what means are provided at the main switchboard for indicating the state of the insulation of the system *with indicators for both poles, lamps*

Switches, Circuit Breakers and Fusible Cut-outs, do these comply with the requirements of the Rules *Yes*

Joint Boxes Section and Distribution Boards, is the construction, protection, insulation, material, and position of these as per rule *Yes*



**Cables:** Single, twin, concentric, or multicore *single* are the cables insulated and protected as per Tables IV, V, XI, XII of the Rules *Yes*

**Fall of Pressure,** state maximum between bus bars and any point of the installation under maximum load *less than allowed in Sec. 4, Par. 4*

**Cable Sockets and other connections,** are the ends of all cables having a sectional area of 0.04 square inch and above provided with soldering sockets *Yes*

**Paper Insulated Cables.** If cables are paper covered, is the dielectric at the exposed ends of the conductor protected from moisture by being suitably sealed with insulating compound *✓*

**Cable Runs,** are the cables fixed as far as possible in accessible positions not exposed to drip or accumulation of water or oil, or to high temperature from boilers, steam pipes, uptakes or other hot objects, or to avoidable risk of mechanical damage *Yes*

**Support and Protection of Cables,** state how the cables are supported and protected *supported by clips. All cables are lead covered except in cabins, armoured by galv. steel tape. Where necessary protected by steel sheet.*

If cables are run in wood casings, are the casings and caps secured by screws *✓*, are the cap screws of brass *Yes, equivalent*, are the cables run in separate grooves *✓*. If armoured and lead covered cables are secured by metal clips, are the clips spaced as per Table VIII *Yes, equivalent*

**Refrigerated Chambers,** if lights are fitted, are the cables and fittings in accordance with the special requirements *✓*

**Joints in Cables,** state if any, and how made, insulated, and protected *No joints in main or power cables. For branch cables metal joint boxes and watertight glands.*

**Watertight Glands and Deck Tubes,** are all cables passing through decks and watertight bulkheads provided with deck tubes or watertight glands *Yes*

**Bushes in Beams and Non-watertight Partitions,** where unarmoured cables pass through beams and non-watertight partitions, are the holes efficiently bushed *Yes* state the material of which the bushes are made *Lead*

**Earthing Connections,** state what earthing connections are fitted and their respective sectional areas *✓*

are their connections made as per Rule *✓*

**Alternative Lighting,** are the groups of lights in the propelling machinery space arranged as per Rule *Yes*

**Emergency Supply,** state position and method of control of the emergency supply and how the generator is driven *✓*

**Navigation Lamps,** are these separately wired *Yes*, controlled by separate switch and separate fuses *Yes*, are the fuses double pole *Yes*, are the switches and fuses grouped in a position accessible only to the officers on watch *Yes*, has each navigation lamp an automatic indicator as per Rule *Yes*

**Secondary Batteries,** are they constructed and fitted as per Rule *✓*

**Fittings,** are all fittings on weather decks, in stokeholds and engine rooms and wherever exposed to drip or condensed moisture, watertight *Yes*, are any fittings placed in spaces in which goods are liable to be stacked in close proximity to them; if so, how are they protected *✓*

are any fittings placed in spaces where inflammable or explosive dust or gases are liable to be present, if so, how are they protected *Lamps contained in gastight fittings*, how are the cables led *in gastight tubing*

where are the controlling switches situated *Outside the spaces.*

**Searchlight Lamps,** No. of *✓*, whether fixed or portable *✓*, are their fittings as per Rule *✓*

**Arc Lamps,** other than searchlight lamps, No. of *✓*, are their live parts insulated from the frame or case *✓*, are their fittings as per Rule *✓*

**Motors,** are their working parts readily accessible *Yes*, are the coils self-contained and readily removable for replacement *Yes*, are the brushes, brush holders, terminals and lubricating arrangements as per Rule *Yes*, are the motors placed in well-ventilated compartments in which inflammable gases cannot accumulate and clear of all inflammable material *Yes*, are they protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil *Yes*, are their axes of rotation fore and aft *Yes, generally*, if situated near unprotected woodwork or other combustible material, are the motors of the totally enclosed, pipe ventilated, forced draught, drip or flame proof type *✓*, if not of this type, state distance of the combustible material horizontally or vertically above the motors *✓* and *✓*

**Control Gear and Resistances,** are the generator field and motor speed regulators, starters and controllers constructed and fitted as per Rule *Yes*

**Lightning Conductors,** where lightning conductors are required, are these fitted as per Rule *✓*

**Ships carrying Oil having a Flash Point less than 150° F.** Have the special requirements of the Rules been complied with regarding switches, joint boxes, section and distribution boards, protection of cables, method of distribution, lead of cables, lights and fittings *Yes*

If portable lamps for use in dangerous spaces are supplied, are they of a type approved by the Home Office *Yes Davies brand lamps.*

DESCRIPTION OF GENERATOR.	No. of	RATED AT				DRIVEN BY	WHERE DRIVEN BY AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE.	
		Kilowatts.	Volts.	Amperes.	Revs. per Min.		Fuel Used.	Flash Point of Fuel.
MAIN	2	2-75	110	682	350	Heavy oil engines	Heavy oil	Above 150° F.
AUXILIARY	1	15	110	137	600	Heavy engine		
EMERGENCY								
ROTARY TRANSFORMER								

  

DESCRIPTION.	CONDUCTORS.		COMPOSITION OF STRAND.		TOTAL MAXIMUM CURRENT.		Approximate Length. (Lead and Return Feet)	Insulated with	HOW PROTECTED.
	No. per Pole.	Total Effective Area per Pole Sq. Ins.	No.	Diameter.	In Circuit.	Rule.			
MAIN GENERATOR	3	185	37	2.52	682	700	max. 27	Rubber	Lead covered & arm. with galv. steel tape.
EQUALISER CONNECTIONS	2	185	37	2.52	-	-	27	"	"
AUXILIARY GENERATOR	1	95	19	2.52	137	150	50	"	"
EMERGENCY GENERATOR									
ROTARY TRANSFORMER									
ENGINE ROOM	1	10	7	1.35	30	40	30	"	"
BOILER ROOM	1	10	7	1.35	30	40	27	"	"
AUXILIARY SWITCHBOARDS									
Light distr. board	A	1	10	1.35	10	40	195	"	"
"	B	1	50	19	1.83	40	112	"	"
"	C	1	4	7	0.86	6	124	"	"
"	D	1	16	7	1.71	30	58	"	"
"	E	1	16	7	1.71	30	58	"	"
ACCOMMODATION	1	15	7	0.52	max. 4	8	max. 40	"	"
WIRELESS	1	25	7	2.13	Alt. 20	65	120	"	"
SEARCHLIGHT	1	70	19	2.51	-	120	195	"	"
MASTHEAD LIGHT	1	15	7	0.52	0.6	8	max. 130	"	"
SIDE LIGHTS	1	15	7	0.52	0.6	8	40	"	"
COMPASS LIGHTS	1	15	7	0.52	-	8	20	"	"
POOP LIGHTS	1	15	7	0.52	0.6	8	224	"	"
CARGO LIGHTS									
ARC LAMPS									
HEATERS	1	70	19	2.51	100	120	74	"	"

  

DESCRIPTION.	No. of Motors.	CONDUCTORS.		COMPOSITION OF STRAND.		TOTAL MAXIMUM CURRENT.		Approximate Length. (Lead and Return Feet)	Insulated with	HOW PROTECTED.
		No. Per Pole.	Total Effective Area per Pole Sq. Ins.	No.	Diameter.	In Circuit.	Rule.			
BALLAST PUMP										
MAIN BILGE LINE PUMPS	1	1	35	7	2.53	64	75	46	Rubber lead covered & arm. with galv. steel tape.	
GENERAL SERVICE PUMP	1	1	35	7	2.53	68	75	50	"	
EMERGENCY BILGE PUMP										
SANITARY PUMP										
CIRC. SEA WATER PUMPS	2	1	150	37	2.3	192	200	45	"	
CIRC. FRESH WATER PUMPS	1	1	25	7	2.13	60	65	25	"	
AIR COMPRESSOR										
FRESH WATER PUMP	1	1	25	7	0.67	7	15	50	"	
ENGINE TURNING GEAR	1	1	70	19	2.51	112	120	50	"	
ENGINE REVERSING GEAR										
LUBRICATING OIL PUMPS	2	1	185	37	2.52	224	240	max 51	"	
OIL FUEL TRANSFER PUMP	1	1	16	7	1.71	40	50	50	"	
WINDLASS										
WINCHES, FORWARD										
WINCHES, AFT										
STEERING GEAR—										
(a) MOTOR GENERATOR										
(b) MAIN MOTOR	1	1	70	19	2.51	max 110	120	120	"	
WORKSHOP MOTOR	1	1	6	7	1.05	24	30	44	"	
VENTILATING FANS										
CO <sub>2</sub> compressor	1	1	35	7	2.53	68	75	73	"	
lubr. oil separator	1	1	25	7	0.67	15	75	44	"	
" heater	1	1	95	19	2.52	137	150	69	"	
fuel oil separator	1	1	25	7	0.67	15	15	50	"	
" heater	1	1	150	37	2.3	191	200	50	"	



*The foregoing is a correct description.*

Date 1-1-1936

*The nearest cables to the compasses are as follows:—*

*A cable carrying ..... Amperes ..... feet from standard compass ..... feet from steering compass.*

The maximum deviation due to electric currents was found to be ..... degrees on ..... course in the case of the standard compass, and ..... degrees on ..... course in the case of the steering compass.

KOCKUMS MEKANISKA VERKSTADS  
AKTIE-BOLAG

Date. 7-1-1936

If so, state name of vessel

M/T "Lagerfeld"

The above described electric installation has been installed under my inspection and has been tested and found satisfactory.  
The materials and the workmanship are both good.  
All the Rule requirements have been complied with.

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14/1/36.

Total Capacity of Generators.....165 Kilowatts.

The amount of Fee ... .. \$ *Kr. 632.45* (When applied for, *8<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1936*)

Travelling Expenses (if any) £

When received.

## Committee's Minute

FRI. 17 JAN 1936

*Assigned*

See the J.E. Rpt.

*Alander*

*Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.*