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Dear Sirs,

I have to inform you that I have received from the Society's Surveyors at your Port the report of the electric lighting installation which has been fitted on the S.S. "HEKTOS", recently completed at your Yard, from which it appears that the requirements of the Society's Rules for Electric Light have not been fully complied with.

With regard to this matter I may say that I have written the Electrical Engineers; but at the same time I am directed to inform you that although the Committee will not insist on the rule requirements being fully met in the case of this vessel, or in the other two cargo vessels "LEO" and "HESPERUS" which have been fitted by the same Firm with similar installations, yet they wish it to be distinctly understood that in all future cases of classed vessels where electric light is installed, the rules must be complied with, and that they cannot approve of inferior electrical equipment.

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

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