

M.V. "LA PLAYA".

Fiat type Q. 504 Motors. Messrs. Fiat Motor Co. Turin.

The Fiat Motor Co. state that their contract comprises construction and only the fitting of the new motors in place of the original motors; the general arrangement of the electric generators and motors, the line of shafting, the auxiliaries and the fittings generally (including flywheel, air bottles, silencers and all piping) remaining unchanged.


In the circumstances they feel they ought to obtain some reduction in the fee, particularly as they have in addition the expense of the British Corporation Survey.

The Nominal Horse Power of each set of engines is 273 and for the four sets 1092.

The total special survey fee for the four sets would be £127.6.0.

According to the Society's usual practice, $\frac{2}{5}$ ths. of this fee would be chargeable for the engines only, i.e. £50.18.5 and for the installation an additional charge of $\frac{1}{5}$ th of the special survey fee would be made, i.e. £25.9.3.

It is submitted the Surveyors at Genoa should be informed that in this instance $\frac{3}{5}$ ths of the Special Survey fee should be charged for the Special Survey during construction of the engines and during installation on board, viz. say £76.

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