

"KUTABTARI"

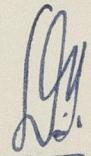
This ship, built in 1949-5, is classed \*A1 "With freeboard" "For Coasting Service between Colombo and Tuticorin".

The last Special Survey was held 2,54 and the last drydocking 11,55.

The ship is reported 20.3.56 to have changed hands and her services transferred to the Andamans Inter-Island Trade for a trial period, which would appear to be outside the limits for the scantlings and structural arrangements which have been approved. refer Ship Plans' Memo of 5.3.56.

In a copy of a letter dated 12.6.56 to our Bombay Surveyors, the Owners state that it may be some time yet before a decision is made as to whether or not the ship will continue in the Andamans Inter-Island Trade.

In view of the foregoing IT IS SUBMITTED for consideration whether the class might be suspended as suggested in our letter of 6.3.56 to the Bombay Surveyors, pending further advise from Owners on this subject.

  
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