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WAR SHIPPING ADMINISTRATION,  
45, BROADWAY,  
ROOM 300,

Lloyd's Register of Shipping, NEW YORK, N.Y.  
17, Battery Place,  
NEW YORK.

25th February, 1946.

Attention Principal Surveyor.

Gentlemen,

Subject M.S. "ACONCAGUA" & M.S. "COPIAPO".  
Transfer of Class.

It is the express policy of the U.S. Maritime Commission and/or the War Shipping Administration that all War Shipping Administration owned vessels be classed with the American Bureau of Shipping, and the War Shipping Administration is to arrange on a not-to-delay basis for the transfer to the American Bureau of Shipping, for the transfer of any vessel's title to which is vested in the War Shipping Administration.

In view of the foregoing, this is to advise that the subject vessels presently classed with the Lloyd's Register of Shipping, are now to be withdrawn from Lloyd's Register of Shipping, and transferred to the American Bureau of Shipping.

The American Bureau of Shipping has been advised of the foregoing.

Yours faithfully,

/s/ C. H. KENNERLY - Acting Director  
Maintenance & Repair Division-Atlantic.

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