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# Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

21st August, 1923.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your cablegram of yesterday respecting the steamer "ALFONSO XIII", and in confirmation of my cabled reply, I have to point out that the certificates of classification cannot be issued from this Office until the first entry reports have been received here.

It is not known whether all the requirements have been complied with, the trial held, or the machinery previously seen working. In order to meet the Owners' wishes as far as possible, however, the Committee are agreeable to your issuing a preliminary certificate provided all the rule requirements have been complied with and the fees have been paid.

This certificate should state that the vessel has been built under the special survey of the Society, and is recommended by you for the contemplated class.

Telegram received

"NEW STEAMER ALFONSO XIII NOW IN DRYDOCK GIBRALTAR  
"BOTTOM EXAMINED GOOD RECOMMENDED REPAIRS BEING  
"EFFECTED STOP OWNERS REQUIRE CLASSING CERTIFICATES  
"FOR GOVERNMENT TRIAL NEXT WEEK STOP PLEASE ARRANGE  
"WISE BY CONSUL SEND CERTIFICATES TO CADIZ"



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Telegram sent:-

"ALFONSO XIII- vessel's name  
EHWYF - provided  
ECURP - all  
EJNIX - rule requirements  
EFTAK - have been complied with  
ECVOF - and  
EPSEC - fees are paid  
EPGEP - you may issue a provisional certificate  
EKEDA - that  
DWYBS - vessel has been built under survey  
ECVOF - and  
DWYXU - vessel recommended for classification  
EDYMO - contemplated".

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Assistant to the Secretary.

The Surveyors,

CADIZ.

J.F.H.



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