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27th January, 1953.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 9th instant regarding the s.s. "SOVAC DAYLIGHT" it is observed that in addition to the fee of £90 for the damage survey in this case you have included a charge of £15 for the issue of a damage report. This is not in order as only one fee should be charged to cover the work involved in connection with the actual survey and the preparation of the report.

Bearing in mind that we have continually to justify high fees charged in Japan, do you consider that an increase in your proposed fee of £90 is justified? I shall be glad to have your comments before application for payment is made to the Owners.

It is also observed that the fee of £15 is not shown on your Report No. 130 and I would call your attention to the fact that this is contrary to the procedure laid down in the Instructions to Surveyors that all fees must be entered on reports.

Yours faithfully,

WJF.

Chief Executive.

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