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30th July, 1957.

Reference

The Secretary,
London.

Dear Sir,

M.V. "BALMORAL".

Enclosed please find a copy of a letter I have received from the Owners of above vessel, informing me that they do not wish to retain the Classification of this vessel after November of this year.

When vessel was four years of age, in 1953, the Owners wrote stating they did not wish to retain class, but at that time I discussed the matter with Mr. C.W. Payne, the General Manager, and with great difficulty persuaded the Company to retain class for the next four years.

I have again discussed this matter with Mr. Payne and regret that I cannot get the Company to alter their decision.

They state that as they have to submit this vessel to the Ministry of Transport for Passenger Certificate, and as vessel is only engaged on the Southampton - Isle of Wight service, they do not feel justified in paying the extra survey fees involved if they retain the Society's class.

Yours faithfully,

J. Nicholas

Principal Surveyor,
Southampton.



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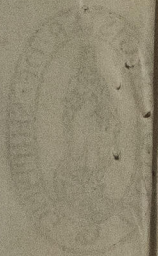
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1, Cannon Road, Southampton

South Africa, 1937.



The Register,
London.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the above vessel, informing me that they do not wish to retain the Classification of this vessel after November of this year.

When vessel was four years of age, in 1933, the Owners wrote stating they did not wish to retain class, but at that time I discussed the matter with Mr. C.W. Payne, the General Manager, and with great difficulty persuaded the Company to retain class for the next four years.

I have again discussed this matter with Mr. Payne and regret that I cannot get the Company to alter their position.

They state that as they have to submit this vessel to the Survey of Transport for Passenger Certificate, and as vessel is only engaged on the Southampton - Isle of Wight service, they do not feel justified in paying the entire survey fees involved if they retain the Society's class.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. Payne

General Manager
Southampton.

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