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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

Enclosure

17th March, 1925.

Dear Sirs,

S.S. "BUCKLEIGH" and "CHUMBLEIGH".

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Reverting to the correspondence which took place between us in January last regarding the above-mentioned vessels, I beg to acquaint you that the whole question of the date of build to be recorded in the Society's Register Book has recently come up for consideration at a Special Meeting of the General Committee. The matter has been carefully investigated, with the result that it was decided to amend the existing Rule as indicated on the enclosed copy of Notice No. 1446; so that in future the deciding factor in arriving at the date of build for record in the Register Book will be the actual date of the completion of the Special Survey of vessels built under the Society's Inspection.

I may add that the cases of the steamers "BUCKLEIGH", and "CHUMBLEIGH" have been reviewed with others in connexion with the new Rule, and that it has been decided to amend the dates of build in the cases of these two vessels to January, 1925, the date given on the First Entry reports on the vessels as that of the last date of survey of the vessels during construction.

I am, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully,

Messrs. Bertram & Sons, Ltd.,
South Dock,
SUNDERLAND.

Secretary.

For to Sir
James Mackay
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with Sd. F.E.
"Buckleigh"

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