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Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C. 3.

Reference: JP/FK.

27th October, 1925.

Dear Sirs,

With reference to your letter of the 22nd instant and previous correspondence respecting the case of the steamer "LORD STRATHCONA", I beg to acquaint you that the Committee have had the matter before them to-day, and that as it appears from a communication received from the Society's Surveyors at Newport, Mon. that it is not the Owners' intention to complete the Special Survey No.2 which is so much overdue, and carry out the repairs which the Society's Surveyors recommended should be done before she proceeds to sea, the Committee much regret that there is no alternative but to expunge the vessel's class from the Register Book with a red line, indicating non-compliance with the Society's Rules.

I have to add that upon the receipt of a satisfactory report from the Society's Surveyors on the completion of the necessary surveys and repairs, the case will receive the favourable consideration of the Committee with a view to the re-instatement of the class.

I shall be glad if you will kindly inform the Owners accordingly.

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

(Copy NEWPORT, Mon.)

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Secretary.

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