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45 West Nile Street  
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The Secretary,  
Lloyd's Register of Shipping,  
71 Fenchurch Street  
E.C.3.

5th October, 1936.

Dear Sir,

We purchased the steamer "GLITRA" in December of last year under the 'Scrap and build' scheme, and since that time she has been laid up at Swansea.

We are now awaiting delivery of two new steamers being built by Messrs. Hamilton's, but do not anticipate that the first of them will be ready for some little time, whilst the second is scheduled for August next.

In the meantime, perhaps you would kindly approach your Committee with a view to ascertaining whether permission could be granted us for the "GLITRA" to be put in commission, say, for two or three voyages (probably to the Mediterranean or Danube) in order to meet out as far as possible our interim laying up expenses until the new ships were delivered. We should, of course, be quite prepared to submit the vessel to any examination required by the Committee, which for our own satisfaction would include drydocking and Boiler Survey, if a previous external examination had shown that the structure was such that the proposal could be entertained.

Yours faithfully,  
*James Ramsay*

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Referred to the Chief Ship Surveyor,  
and the Chief Engineer Surveyor.

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also for Mr. Spinks to note.

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