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Royal East African Steamship Service

To sign in Union Castle Mail S.S. Co?
adopting the above title for the service of steam
via the Suez Canal

with titles.

Inform the Company that
there is no objection to the proposed
title E.A. that we have done so
SAB.

Sept 17

Honley approves in 2 copies

W. Molteno's letter to W. Read of the 9th of August, attached to E.A. 25282. Will require signature of W. Read when he comes this week, whether we expect formal approval of the title SAB. Sept 14. W. Read

To say
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Any further communication on the
subject of this letter should be addressed
to the Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office,
Cannon Street,
London, E.C. 4.

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WHITEHEAD

6th September 1910.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 23rd ultimo
(25282/1910) enclosing copy of an Agreement which has been
entered into with the Union Castle Mail Steamship Company
for the establishment of a service of steamers via the
Suez Canal between the United Kingdom and East Africa,
I am directed by the Secretary of State to acquaint you,
for the information of the Earl of Crewe, that he has no
objection to the Company adopting as the title of the New
Service that of the "Royal East African Steamship Service".

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

W. P. Byron

Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

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Donald Currie & Co.

Downing Street

23 September 1910

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Mr. Parkinson 21/9

Mr. Butler 23/9 Gentlemen,

Mr. Fiddes

Mr. J. J. ...

Mr. Cox

Mr. C. Lucas

Mr. N. Hornum

Col. Scott

Lord ...

I am directed by the Earl of Cromwell to inform you that he has had under his consideration the title of the new Union Line Steamship service to East Africa, and that there is no objection to the adoption of the title "Royal East African Steamship Services".

I am, etc.,

(Sd.)

G. V. FIDDES

to P.O. and ...
24 Sept

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W. J. ...
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