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Vancouver, July 10th.

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Dear Sir:-

I beg to quote below copy of a telegram received from the Department at Ottawa:-

"Inform Captain Komagata Maru that he as representative of owners of vessel is responsible for maintaining sanitary conditions and supplying proper food to all on board owners liable heavy penalty for bringing prohibited immigrants Department however has no intention of prosecuting providing owners bear all costs taking care of immigrants while in Canada and returning them to Hongkong."

And I further enclose Bill for provisions sent aboard your vessel last night. The Bill will serve as an answer as W.H. Malcein^{Ajin} & Company are pressing for prompt payment, and in accordance with telegram quoted herewith we urge upon you to meet this bill by prompt payment.

Yours truly,

DOMINION IMMIGRATION AGENT AND INSPECTOR

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Captain Yamamoto,
"Komagata Maru".