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Mr. Arthur DeFever
President of the Board of Trustees
Maritime Museum Association of San Diego
1306 North Harbor Drive
San Diego, California 92101

Dear Mr. DeFever:

I am pleased to inform you that the property identified on the enclosed sheet has been found to possess national significance in the history of the United States. As a result, the Secretary of the Interior has designated it a National Historic Landmark.

The purpose of landmark designation is to identify and recognize nationally significant sites and to encourage their owners to preserve them. Landmarks are chosen after careful study by the National Park Service. They are evaluated by the National Park System Advisory Board and designated by the Secretary of the Interior in accordance with the Historic Sites Act of 1935 and the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966.

Designation as a National Historic Landmark automatically places a property in the National Register of Historic Places, if it is not already so listed, and extends to it the safeguards and benefits provided by the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 and other Federal laws protecting historic properties.

We are pleased to include this property on the roll of National Historic Landmarks as a significant representative of our Nation's heritage.

Sincerely,


Edwin C. Bearss
Chief Historian

Enclosure



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David Brierly
San Diego Maritime Museum
1492 N. Harbor Drive
San Diego, California 92101

Dear Mr. Brierly:

We are pleased to provide you with the National Historic Landmark plaque for the Ferryboat Berkeley. We are mailing the plaque separately via certified mail.

You have informed us that you plan to hold a ceremony to mark the designation of the landmark. We would be glad to assist you in those arrangements and to provide a National Park Service representative to participate in the dedication of the plaque. Please contact Ann Huston or David Maul at 415-744-3988 to discuss preparations for the ceremony or if you have any questions regarding the National Historic Landmark program.

Sincerely,

David W. Look

for Margaret Pepin-Donat, Chief
Division of National Register Programs