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MARITIME MUSEUM ASSOCIATION OF SAN DIEGO
Bark Star of India • 1306 N. Harbor Drive • San Diego, California 92101

January 30, 1967

Mr. George B. Hartzog, Jr.
Director
National Park Service
Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C. 20240

Dear Mr. Hartzog:

The Maritime Museum Association of San Diego, a non-profit corporation which owns and manages the Star of India, is most pleased that the National Park Service has found her eligible for registration as a National Historic Landmark.

Accordingly, the Board of Directors of the Association, by action on January 17, 1967, have authorized me to execute the enclosed formal applications.

Mr. Jerry MacMullen, very able historian and curator of the Maritime Museum Association of San Diego, has, at my request, made a few changes in the description of the vessel which you forwarded with the notice of eligibility for registration. We trust you will not consider it presumptuous of us to suggest these changes, but believe historical accuracy will be more nearly served if they are made. I am enclosing a copy of Mr. MacMullen's letter and the suggested description.

At such time as the National Park Service wishes to present the certificate and plaque to the ship, we would be most interested in arranging a suitable civic function to mark the occasion and reflect credit on the ship and the National Park Service.

Yours sincerely,

MARITIME MUSEUM ASSOCIATION
OF SAN DIEGO

Gordon T. Frost
President

cc: Mr. Jerry MacMullen
Enclosure

