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Draft Resolution for the AGM 18th June 2012 - ss Great Britain Trust

It is resolved that, following the approval of the Charity Commissioners of England and Wales, the Old Form of the charitable goals of the company should be replaced with the New Form as appended below:

OLD FORM

- One To acquire, transport, rebuild, restore, and fit out the ss Great Britain and to preserve the same for all time for the benefit of the public as a ship of historic interest and to place the same upon public display
- Two To increase the sum of public knowledge and to promote the study of maritime & industrial engineering & science, and maritime archaeology & social history, and to collect in any manner whatsoever, preserve, and make accessible as a museum artefacts and specimens that demonstrate and reflect a tangible link with the past and present of maritime & industrial engineering & science, and maritime archaeology & history, for the benefit of the public

NEW FORM

- One To conserve and preserve the ss Great Britain in the Great Western Dockyard for all time for the benefit of the public as a ship of historic and scientific interest and to place the same upon public display as a museum accessible for all
- Two To increase the sum of public knowledge and to promote the study of maritime & industrial engineering & science, maritime archaeology & social history, the life and works of I K Brunel and his historic context and significance in the modern world, and to collect, conserve, and make accessible as a museum, artefacts and specimens that demonstrate and reflect a tangible link with the past and present of those subject areas, for the benefit of the public



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John Hollingdale (Hon Treasurer)

Richard Fitzgeorge Parker

Veronica Fitzgeorge Parker

Apologies:

Chris Booy

Helen Doe

Alan Aberg

John Griffin

Don Jones

Chris Legge

David Parkes

Roger Smedley

Lord Strathcona

Jill Legge

Mary Prior

Jean Young

Lynne Griffin

Andrew Lambert

Jo Gipps

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ss GREAT BRITAIN TRUST

EXTRACT OF MINUTES OF THE 41st ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Held in the Viridor Theatre on Wednesday 18th June 2012 at 1200 hrs

Present:

Colin Green (Chairman)

Janet Brinnand (Co Vice Chairman)

Martyn Heighton (Co Vice Chairman)

Peaches Golding

Malcolm Lewis

Cara MacMahon

Campbell McMurray

Grant Watson

Michael Andrews

Edward Cooke

Tony Dickens

Michael Hill

Jean Macfarlane

Stephen Macfarlane

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Brian Richards Jane Sharman

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Dave Sproxton

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Chris Young

In attendance: Matthew Tanner (Director and Chief Executive)

Julie Sienesi (Company Secretary)

Ruth Couzens (Assistant to Director and Chief Executive)

Joe Scarfe, Bishop Fleming, Auditors

The Chairman opened the meeting and welcomed Trustees and Guarantors

7. SPECIAL RESOLUTION

The Director said that at the Ship's Advisory Council Meeting last November when the Strategic Plan was being discussed the question was posed whether the goals of the Trust should be broadened out a little to include the life and works of Isambard Kingdom Brunel, particularly in light of the growth in the Trust's collection. The Board carefully phrased the goals so that the Trust was not thereby forced to become a railway museum. The proposal went to the Charity Commission (Appendix A) and they responded that a third goal could not be introduced as it was similar to the second goal. Therefore it should be an additional clause in the second goal. Whilst doing this the Board also took the opportunity to simplify the language generally. The Chairman proposed that the revision to the goals should be adopted and this was seconded by Martyn Heighton. Unanimously agreed.

Colin Green CBE, Chairman, ss Great Britain Trust