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The Secretary
Blue Star Line Limited
Albion House
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Dear Sir

BLUE STAR LINE (NORTH AMERICA) LIMITED

This letter is formal notice of our resignation as auditors of the above named company with effect from today's date.

There are no circumstances connected with our resignation which we consider should be brought to the attention of the members or creditors of the company.

Yours faithfully

Deloitte & Touche

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