Dear reader,

Because the pass away of mr. G.P. Zanen, the publishing of International Shipbuilding Progress (I.S.P.) will be continued by 'Delft University Press' as from January 1988.

In order to keep the costs under control and at the same time to guarantee the quality of I.S.P. some more changes are envisaged.

Among others, the format will change from the present A4 into a B5 format (16.5 x 24 cm) which is also in line with modern development.

Much less happy we are that I.S.P. as a monthly periodical has to be changed into a quarterly issue.

The custom of forwarding proofprints for author's correction purposes is also a service that has to be discontinued.

Within that framework your Executive Editors hope sincerely to continue to serve you and prospective authors for a long time to come.

We also hope that I.S.P. in its new form will keep your interest as a source of knowledge in marine technology.

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I want to thank the authors and readers of International Shipbuilding Progress for their confidence over the years my late husband G.P. Zanen published this magazine.

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