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## LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Firstly, let me wish you all the very best for the forthcoming festive season. This year has been a landmark year for the International Society of Hypnosis. In July we held our long delayed meeting in Jerusalem. The Israeli Society of Clinical and Experimental Hypnosis is to be congratulated for the excellence of its organisation and the programme they presented.

The Council of Representatives and Board of Directors of ISH met and agreed to several changes to approve the services we offer to members. It was agreed that as from 1994 the International Journal of Clinical and Experimental Hypnosis will no longer be automatically required with individual membership of ISH. The board decided to assist the new editor, Dr Fred Frankel in his endeavours to promote IJCEH as it detaches itself from ISH. You will all receive promotional material for this excellent journal in the next few months, as we hope will all members of national constituent societies. We also intend to promote the journals of our national constituent societies from around the world.

Several changes occurred at the meeting. Erik Hoencamp (Netherlands) was elected as Chairman of the Council of Representatives and Burkhard Peter (Germany) as his hard working Secretary. Per-Olof Wikstrom took up the position of Vice-Chairman. They were also elected to the Board of Directors of ISH along with Camillo Loreido (Italy). I wish to thank the outgoing Officers of the Council and the previous members of the Board for their work and support over the past 4 years.

The ISH continues to face considerable financial restrictions. We are in the process of putting in place a plan to assist us in offering greater service to members while keeping the costs under close scrutiny.

I look forward, as the Co-Chairman of the next International Society meeting (Co-chaired with Robb Stanley, President Elect of the Australian Society of Hypnosis) to seeing you all in Melbourne, Australia between August 6 and 12, 1994. Prior to that time I look forward to seeing many of you in Vienna where I have been invited to present a keynote address to the 6th meeting of the European Society of Hypnosis (see meetings calendar for details).

Seasons Greetings to all.

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