
Editorial

With this issue we welcome a new Associate Editor, Dr L. P. Borgida who, following Dr Mérat's retirement, has kindly agreed to undertake the preparation of the French language translations of the summaries. Following graduation in 1968 as Agr. Ing. from INA in Paris, Dr Borgida worked for eight years as a nutrition scientist at an INRA laboratory. Currently he is a company nutritionist at COFNA, a feed and services company belonging to the Guyomarc'h Group.

Dr N. O. Lindgren, who for the past 12 years has been a very supportive Associate Editor, has asked to be retired from this appointment. In addition to his involvement with the journal, Dr Lindgren has also been associated with various other WPSA activities, particularly in the European Federation, which included Chairmanship of Working Group 9 (Bird Welfare) and within the Swedish Branch. In thanking Dr Lindgren for the contributions he has made to the Association we wish him a happy and long retirement.

It is very pleasing to record the formation of three new branches – in Estonia, Indonesia and Romania (*see* Association News, p. 287). We wish them well and look forward to their participation in WPSA affairs.

As this issue of the *WPSJ* goes to press we have learnt with sadness of the death (on July 19) of Dr George Jaap, Editor of the journal from 1958 until 1972. An obituary will be included in the next issue.

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