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*A prosperous, voorspoedige or at  
least satisficing new year to all!*

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1. MEMBERSHIP/LIDMAATSKAP

We have pleasure in welcoming the following new members:

Full Members/Volle Lede

Prof. W.E. Kassier - Stellenbosch  
Dr. L. Troskie - Durban

Associate Members/Mede Lede

J.C. Ackron - Cape Town  
J.F. Affleck-Graves - Cape Town

'n Hartlike welkom aan hierdie nuwe lede.

2. ANNUAL CONFERENCE/JAARKONGRES

The Annual Conference 1974, our first in the Western Cape, fulfilled all expectations both in the papers presented (which will be circulated to members in the form of conference proceedings) and the traditional Cape hospitality, rich in red wine.

Ons het egter nog daarin geslaag om die algemene jaarvergadering te hou. Die twee mees belangrike aangeleenthede wat deur die vergadering afgehandel is, was die goedkeuring van die instelling van 'n nuwe graad van lidmaatskap, naamlik studente-lidmaatskap, en die verkiesing van die lede van 'n nuwe uitvoerende komitee.

Apart from the chapter chairmen, the executive committee for 1975 consists of the following:

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| President                | - Mr. K.C.W. Sandrock,<br>City Engineers Department,<br>Johannesburg City Council |
| Vice President           | - Mr. H.I.D. du Plessis,<br>SANLAM,<br>Bellville                                  |
| Immediate Past President | - Mr. J. Miller,<br>Caltex Oil,<br>Cape Town                                      |
| Secretary                | - Mr. M.P. Roberts,<br>Chamber of Mines,<br>Johannesburg                          |
| Treasurer                | - Dr. B.L. Joffe,<br>C S S L,<br>Johannesburg                                     |
| Editor                   | - T.J. Stewart,<br>C S I R,<br>Pretoria   |
| Elected Members          | - Dr. J.S. Avidan,<br>C S S L,<br>Johannesburg                                    |
|                          | - Dr. L.J. Raubenheimer,<br>Perseus Computing,<br>Pretoria                        |

The 1975 Annual Conference is planned for 6/7 November in Johannesburg. It is hoped that Professor G.E.P. Box of the University of Wisconsin will be our guest speaker.

### 3. OBJECTIVES/MIKPUNTE 1975

'n Beplanningssubkomitee van die Uitvoerende Komitee 1974 het die volgende mikpunte vir 1975 aanbeveel, en dié is ook deur die Uitvoerende Komitee aanvaar.

The aims are:

- (1) to organise at least one seminar of general or specialised OR content;
- (2) to survey the background and work of ORSSA members;



