In Memoriam Professor Takashi Sato



THE NEWS of the untimely death of Takashi Sato came as a shock to the heat transfer community. It is a source of deep sorrow for the Board of Editors and the Honorary Editorial Advisory Board of the *International Journal of Heat and Mass Transfer*, a journal to which Professor Sato gave freely of his time. He was elected an editor of the Journal in 1961 during its early formative stages. His wise counsel given at the editorial meetings during this period assisted the Journal in establishing an outstanding reputation. He resigned as editor in 1972 but continued as a member

of the Honorary Editorial Advisory Board.

He was also strongly involved in the formation and organization of the International Heat Transfer Conferences. The international heat transfer community will always remember him for these contributions as well as for his achievements in research which are outlined in the accompanying obituary.

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