

Publisher's Note

The *Journal of Organometallic Chemistry* was launched in 1963 in order to meet the needs of the rapidly growing organometallic chemistry community. It quickly evolved as a recognized title, now comprising about 1000 papers per year published in 21 volumes.

During the past 30 years, the technical standards for scientific periodicals have undergone several important changes, and the journal has always adapted to them. Thus, in 1993 the *Journal of Organometallic Chemistry* will change to a larger 21 × 28 cm format and double-column typesetting. It will also be published as 2 (thicker) issues per volume, and will therefore appear fortnightly.

In addition to the more attractive visual aspect, the new format allows more efficient and effective positioning of figures and tables on a page. The same amount of information will therefore be published in less space and the number of pages per volume will be reduced accordingly.

As a reader of the *Journal of Organometallic Chemistry*, we trust that you will welcome this improvement and will continue to support the journal on its way to a 4th decade of success.