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On behalf of the Executive and the Membership, I would like to thank the Journal Editor — Dan Hampson and his Business, Production and Associate Editors for their dedication and good work in making this year's Journal a reality. I would also like to convey our appreciation to the authors for their contributions.

The Canadian Society of Exploration Geophysicists is foremost a "technical society". As stated in the constitution, which was initially incorporated under the Society's Act in December 1949: "The object of the Society is to promote the science of geophysics, and to promote fellowship and cooperation among those persons interested in geophysical problems."

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