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# A STAR REBORN

**STARFIRE - THE NEWEST INCARNATION OF**

**A CLASSIC LÜRSSEN NOW READY TO CHARTER**

**THE SEASON  
UNWRAPPED  
GIFTS THAT  
WILL KEEP  
ON GIVING**

**STEADY AS SHE GOES: TURKEY'S YACHT BUILDERS HOLD COURSE IN ROUGH SEAS**



**LOVELY IN ANY LANGUAGE**

The 164-foot Heesen *Bijin* (ex-*Sibelle*) debuted at the Monaco Yacht Show after a stint at Monaco Marine in France. Her new name (“beautiful woman” in Japanese, which riffs on her previous French name meaning “so beautiful”) suits her new look. Studio Hot Lab worked with the yacht’s original woodwork to create a Japandi-inspired interior with a lighter color palette and “gentle oriental touches” woven throughout. *Bijin* will be used both privately and for charter, with her upcoming first season with Ocean Independence already fully booked. [monacomarine.com](http://monacomarine.com)

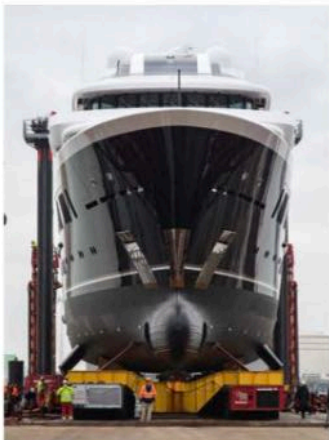


**TRIPLE THREAT**

Brazilian yard Inace Superyachts has acquired three offshore supply vessels for conversion into explorer yachts. Three clients have signed on, with the first — 121-foot *Haya* — recently delivered. Details on the projects are scarce, though the yard explained the major challenge was “preserving the supply vessel DNA” (such as strength and safety) while introducing a more “seductive” exterior design by long-time collaborator Fernando Almeida. [inacesuperyachts.com](http://inacesuperyachts.com)

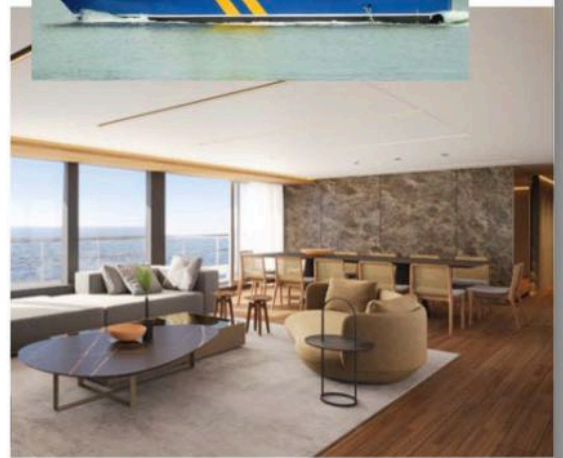


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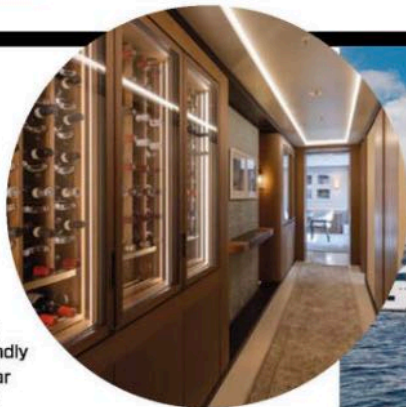
**Moonstone rising**

The 260-foot *Moonstone* (formerly 237-foot *Albatross*, built at Delta Marine) is cruising again after a 26-month refit at Damen Yachting under the Amels Refit program. Harrison Eidsgaard led the extensive exterior transformation. A layout introduced a beach club with a wellness center, a large outdoor pool, expanded exterior seating areas and a winter garden. It’s an amazing reinvention of a custom yacht, relaunched as a brand-new yacht. [damenyachting.com](http://damenyachting.com)



**READY TO CHARTER**

The 230-foot Benetti *Alfa* is cruising again following a comprehensive refit at Lusben in Livorno, Italy. A relatively recent delivery, the award-winning *Alfa* was created for private use. Her refit, coordinated by broker Ocean Independence, added charter-friendly touches, including a new wine cellar and four custom bars. [lusben.com](http://lusben.com)



A wine cellar is one new addition to *Alfa*