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## New identity for Soviet spy ship

Icon Yachts has transformed a Soviet merchant marine icebreaker into a 77m explorer yacht in less than 12 months. The Dutch yard rebuilt and converted *Legend* (ex-*Giant I*), which was launched in 1974 and served for 26 years as a salvage tug and electronic eavesdropping vessel. Lengthened by 3.6m, she's now one of the largest explorer yachts in the world. The

design and engineering was undertaken by Diana Yacht Design to full Lloyd's certification, with the aim of creating a charter yacht that could carry 30 guests. Her new interior, by Thom Beerens and Jan Verkerk, features a gym, cinema and medical suite, while outside there's a helipad, swim platform, pool and space to store a submarine. [iconyachts.eu](http://iconyachts.eu)