## PETER G. BARILLA PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Peter Barilla, of Rumford, Rhode Island, USA, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of The International Association of Lions Clubs at the association's 82nd International Convention, held in San Diego, California, USA, June 28-July 2, 1999.

Past Director Barilla is a retired school business administrator.

A member of the Rumford Lions Club since 1973, Past Director Barilla has held many offices within the association, including club president, cabinet secretary and treasurer, zone chairman, deputy district governor and district governor. In addition, he has served as president of the New England Council of Present and Past District Governors, president of the Rhode Island Council of Past District Governors, president of the Rhode Island Lions Children Cancer Fund, Campaign SightFirst chairman and delegate to the Rhode Island Lions Sight Foundation.

In recognition of his service to the association, Past Director Barilla has received numerous awards including the 100% District Governor Award, an International Lions Membership Achievement Award, four International President's Certificates of Appreciation, three International President's Awards and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association bestows upon its members. He is also a Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lion activities, Past Director Barilla is active in numerous professional and community organizations. He is auditor of the East Providence Heritage Committee and serves on the board of the East Providence Citizens Scholarship Foundation. He has also served as a director of the Ronald McDonald House Founding Board.

Past Director Barilla and his wife, Sandra, also a Melvin Jones Fellow, have three children and five grandchildren.

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