

**CARLOS L. ALMODOVAR**  
**PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR**

Carlos L. Almodovar, of Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of The International Association of Lions Clubs at the association's 81st International Convention, held in Birmingham, England, June 29-July 3, 1998.

Past Director Almodovar is a professional engineer and consultant.

A member of the Mayaguez-Vista Verde Lions Club since 1970, Past Director Almodovar has held many offices within the association, including club president, district governor, multiple district treasurer, zone chairman and council chairman. He also was a Leo club advisor for 18 years and an advisor for two Latin American Leo meetings held in Puerto Rico.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards, including the Lion of the Year Award, the 100% District Governor Award, the 100% Club President Award, a Presidential Leadership Medal, a Presidential Leadership Award, three International President's Certificates of Appreciation and the Ambassador of Good Will award, the highest honor the association gives to its members. He is a Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lions activities, Past Director Almodovar organized and directed a humanitarian project for the development of potable water systems in the Republic of Haiti. He was also selected Citizen of the Year in 1989 and Professional Engineer of the Year in 1995.

Past Director Almodovar and his wife, Mercedes, have a son and two daughters.