

RALPH H. LONG
PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Ralph H. Long, of Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, served a two-year term as Director of The International Association of Lions Clubs after his election at the Association's 66th Annual Convention held in Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, June 22-25, 1983.

Past Director Long is a barrister and solicitor in his own law practice.

A Lion and member of the Vancouver Chinatown Lions Club since 1959, Past Director Long has a distinguished record of service to the association. He has served as club president, zone chairperson, district governor and as chairperson and later secretary for the British Columbia Lions Society for Crippled Children.

For his work on behalf of the association, Past Director Long has received three District Governor's Appreciation Awards, two International President's Certificates of Appreciation, Multiple District 19's Distinguished Service Award, District 19A's 1980 Man of the Year Award and four International President's Awards.

Past Director Long's accomplishments as a public servant are many. He was named Man of the Year in 1976 by the Brotherhood Interfaith Committee and was made an honorary citizen of the State of Washington in 1981. In addition, Past Director Long was chosen to receive the 1983 C. Douglas Taylor Award from the Canadian Rehabilitation Council for the Disabled for his distinguished leadership in the development of services to the disabled in Canada.

Past Director Long and his wife, Irene, have three children.

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