

NEIL R. SPENCER
PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Neil R. Spencer, from Cocoa Beach, Florida, USA, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of The International Association of Lions Clubs at the association's 91st international convention, held in Bangkok, Thailand, June 23-27, 2008.

Past Director Spencer is a retired Aerospace Analyst for The Boeing Company at The Kennedy Space Center, Florida.

A member of the Cocoa Beach Seaside Lions Club, Past Director Spencer has been a Lion since 1987, and has held many offices within the association, including club president, zone chair, vice district governor, district governor and council chair. He has also served as Multiple District GLT Coordinator, leadership, extension and membership chairs as well as chairing and coordinating many conventions for his multiple district and served as president of the Florida Lions Conklin Center for the Blind. In addition he has been a moderator at Lions forums, served on the host committee for the 2012 Tampa Forum and the planning committee for the 2013 Overland Park Forum. He currently serves as the Executive Secretary/Treasurer for MD-35, Florida and the Bahamas.

In recognition of his service to the association, Past Director Spencer has received numerous awards, including his club's Lion of the Year Award, the Multiple District Extension Award, a Florida Lions Foundation Grand Lion, The Helen Keller Sight Award from the Minnesota Lions Eye Bank, Colorado Lions Foundation Humanitarian Award, seven International President's Certificates of Appreciation, the International Leadership Award, three International President's Medals and the Ambassador of Good Will the highest honor the association grants its members. He is a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lions activities, Past Director Spencer has been active in numerous community organizations including past president of the Space Coast Little League and was a founding member and past president of the Cocoa Beach Alumni Association Educational Foundation. He is an Eagle Scout.

Past Director Spencer and his wife, Past District Governor Jacquie, also a Melvin Jones Fellow, have 4 children and 6 grandchildren.